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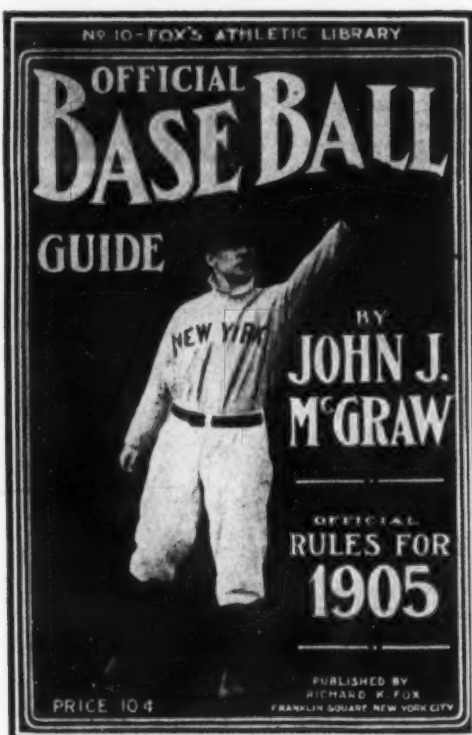
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Williams and Adams Have Dissolved Partnership---Ed H. Clark has Joined Hands  
With Frank Bond Burke---Arto and Delmay a Success.

When a juggler gets rheumatism it's all  
off for him. That is the reason the Ozavs laid off  
recently. The joints of the boss wouldn't work.

Henri French, who has a show in Cuba,  
writes to the GAZETTE that his aggregation of enter-  
tainers went great at the Payret Theatre, Havana.

Mrs. General Tom Thumb, the famous  
midget, who is now Mrs. Lavinia Magri, has been dis-  
tributing among her friends pieces of  
wedding cake from her first marriage,  
Feb. 10, 1863, as souvenirs.

The Hughes Musical Trio are  
not bothering about the Summer--the r  
time is all filled.

Doyle and Emerson continue  
to be a vaudeville feature of the E. V.  
Phelan Stock Company, on tour.

Manager Richard Hyde re-  
ports that the Blue Ribbon Girls are  
doing a record breaking business.

The Two Palmers, imperson-  
ators, character performers, singers  
and dancers, report quite a success.

Nanon Jacques, who is on the  
Proctor circuit, is using "Karama" and  
"My Lady's Eyes" with enormous  
success.

Miaco and Idalene recently  
finished four weeks' work in and  
around Boston, including Sunday  
concerts.

Francine La Marche, "The  
Female Buster Brown," has closed  
with Clark's "Runaways," and is rest-  
ing at her home in Chicago.

A feature of Gus Hill's Royal  
Lilliputians, is the rendition by Queen  
Mab, of Ted Barron's cyclonic success,  
"Honey I'm Waiting." Encores are  
the rule at every performance.

Arto and Delmay report suc-  
cess in their new act, entitled "How  
Would You Like To Be The Umpire?"  
playing clubs in and around New York.  
They will soon start West, where they  
are booked solid.

Ed H. Clark, late of "Thou  
Shalt Not Kill" Company, has joined  
hands with Frank Bond Burke, and  
the act will be known hereafter as  
Corby and Burke, presenting a neat  
Irish comedy act.

Carrie Ezler and Josette  
Webb have been a big success with the  
"Moonlight Maids" during the season  
just closed. Miss Ezler's "Disappointed  
Girl" song received several encores at  
each performance.

Bailey and Madison, the popu-  
lar comedians, whose comedy acrobatic  
act has been featured at many of the  
best houses, have been booked to ap-  
pear at many of the music halls in  
Great Britain, and will be tendered a  
reception by their many friends before  
their departure, at Webster Hall, 125  
East Eleventh street, New York, on  
Monday evening, April 3.

Here is the roster of Lucier's  
Famous Minstrels: Lucier & Palmer,  
sole proprietors; F. J. Palmer, general  
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Palmer, premier ends; Burt Applegate and Lionel  
Paris, second ends; J. R. Lucier, interlocutor; Charles  
Hammond, James Holland, William Strang and  
Benjamin Davis, balladists. The members of the or-  
chestra are: Sawin De Rue, leader; Fred Gagnon,  
T. A. McAllister, F. H. Powell, Lile Holland, J. G. Hol-  
land and W. A. Turner.

Avery Strakosch, writes in to say that never  
in the history of her career has she been so successful  
as with Mabel McKinley's "Karama" and "Beautiful  
Home Of Paradise," by Robert A. King.

The Novelty Theatre, at Sioux Falls, S. D.,  
is doing good business under the management of  
J. S. Gotch, who plays good acts only.

The burlesque aggregation known as  
"The Moonlight Maids," went to the bad on Feb. 25 at  
Pittsburg, and the girls are now looking for new jobs.

Mr. George Betts, with the "Clue To  
Capture" Company, receives from three to four encores



TRIXIE FRIGANZA.

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Weber All Star Stock Company, and has Already Made a Hit.

nightly by his rendition of Robert A. King's "My  
Lady's Eyes."

The Bijou Comedy Four, on tour with the  
Rentz-Santley Company, will take out a minstrels how  
next Summer over Walter Plimmer's New England  
circuit of parks, and they report that they will have

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Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., on the Goldsmith  
circuit.

Yarrick and Lalonda have signed for forty-  
one weeks on the Novelty circuit and are booked  
solid for a year and two months.

Guy Hastings and Helen Russell will sup-  
port Bert Coote in his American vaudeville tour in  
"A Lamb in Wall Street."

E. L. Paul has bought the company known  
as Daly's Comedians and will play a few fair dates  
prior to opening next season in a new play in which he  
will feature Mamie Sheridan Wolford.

The Three Delmots will soon open in  
vaudeville with a new musical comedy sketch, written  
especially for them by Claude M. Alvienne. The act  
features Senorita Garceta Tomaso in Spanish and toe  
dances.

Harry Dull, the author of the three-act  
version of the Four Huntings' vaudeville act, "The  
Fool House," and who will manage the Huntings in  
the new enterprise next season, is busy booking time  
for his attraction.

Baby Lillian Lippman, with the "Curse  
Of Drink" Company, writes in to say that "Honey I'm  
Waiting" is her greatest applause winner, and that she  
is more than satisfied with the number of encores she  
receives. "Honey I'm Waiting" is published by Leo  
Feist.

Miss Mae Allen, with W. B. Watson's  
"Bashful Venus Burlesquers," is more than pleased  
with the success she is meeting with  
"Honey I'm Waiting," which she uses  
as a solo and a buck dance to the  
evident delight of her audience.

A new vaudeville theatre will  
be built in Omaha.

White and Arlington have  
signed contracts to head the big colored  
act, "The Sunny South."

Harry Woodthorpe and Co-  
rinne Willard have joined hands, and  
are meeting with success in their new  
act.

Charles Herbert, manager of  
the Chrystal Theatre, Evansville, Ind.,  
states that the house will play vaude-  
ville exclusively.

Devine and Wolley closed a  
twenty-six weeks' engagement with Al  
Reeves' Company, and will hereafter  
play vaudeville dates.

Charles Swan has taken the  
management of the Empire Theatre,  
Leavenworth, Kan., and the house is  
proving a big success and playing the  
best of acts.

Billy Hall joined the Fiske  
Stock Company, at Portland, Me., to  
work with his old partner, Frank  
Cook. This is their second season with  
the above company.

Edna Wayne and Leona Ray-  
mond, who closed with Weber's "Pa-  
risian Widows," and opened with  
"Happy Hooligan" Company, are now  
on the Western circuit of cities.

Williams and Adams have  
dissolved partnership by mutual agree-  
ment. Sam Williams remains as man-  
ager of the Bon Tons, for Rush & Weber.  
Joe Adams has gone into the hotel  
business at Washington, D. C.

O. H. Stafford, who owned a  
half interest in the Bijou, Rockford,  
Ill., has disposed of his interest to A. J.  
Shimp. Mr. Stafford is now locating a  
circuit of ten-cent houses in the East,  
which will open in the early Spring.

A new vaudeville circuit, to  
include fourteen cities in Ohio and  
Indiana, is being organized by Russell  
H. Osgoodby, of Muncie, Ind. It is  
said that some of the places to be pro-  
vided with cheap vaudeville are Mun-  
cie, Cleveland, Fort Wayne, Sandusky,  
Loraine and Dayton.

Wee Caire, New York's famous  
character impersonator, is singing  
"Honey I'm Waiting" with unquali-  
fied success. "Honey I'm Waiting" is  
published by Leo Feist, and by the  
rapid strides it is taking toward popu-  
larity, will soon outstrip its big  
brother "Billy" by the same composer.

The Great Barn Dance, owned  
by the Thearle-Buckley Agency, writ-  
ten and produced by Dave Nowlin, was given its  
initial presentation at W. L. Dockstader's Garrick  
Theatre, Wilmington, Del., and won instant favor.

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ment parks in Buffalo, Albany, Rochester and other  
cities, effected arrangements which will result in the  
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## IN THE RING AGAIN

The Old Ex-champion Meets Jack McCormick at Grand Rapids, Mich., and Does the Trick Quickly.

## KNOCKED HIM OUT IN THE SECOND ROUND

And now Sullivan, who once Fought for the Police Gazette \$5,000 Diamond Belt, Emblematic of the World's Championship, Challenges Everybody.

The unexpected has happened.

Good old John L. Sullivan, who once put up a great fight for the POLICE GAZETTE \$5,000 diamond belt, emblematic of the heavyweight championship of the world, the only trophy in that class ever recognized by the sporting authorities, has re-entered the ring.

He has often threatened to go back just for the sake of old times, and he has at last made good, and the other night, or to be more specific, in order that the dates in his record may be kept correctly, on the night of March 2, at Grand Rapids, Mich., he knocked out Jack McCormick in two rounds of what was to have been a four-round contest.

The old warrior will probably be made the subject of considerable criticism, some of which may border on the sarcastic, and there may be a lot of talk about McCormick laying down to him, but that is to be expected.

In the flush of his victory, and with an enthusiastic mob shouting at him, he promptly hurled challenges at Jeffries, Fitzsimmons and the rest of the heavyweights. But in that he isn't to be taken seriously, by any means.

To use his own words:

"I do not think Jeffries, Corbett or Fitzsimmons can stop me in eight or ten rounds. I am feeling excellent, and am confident that I can put up a hard fight. I stand back of my previous statements as to being able to stay with any of the topnotchers."

Those who saw the contest say he scored a clean knockout on the man who once put Kid McCoy away, and it was his famous rushing swing that did the trick, after one minute and twenty-three seconds of fighting in the second round.

Sullivan had arrived at Grand Rapids to fill a week's engagement at Smith's Opera House, and he was to have met a well-known heavyweight boxer of Canada, named John W. Phillips. But at the last moment the arrangements fell through, and McCormick, who was

for all of his weight he stepped about the ring with some of his old-time sprightliness, wearing a determined and confident look upon his face.

With the call of time for the first round, after shaking hands, both got down to business, with Sullivan doing most of the leading. After an exchange of light blows to the face and chest Sullivan got in a solid left on Mac's ribs. Mac retaliated with left to face. Sullivan swung an uppercut to jaw, but missed, and Mac got in another left to face. Sullivan led for jaw and they clinched. Sullivan got in a left on Mac's ribs and Mac swung hard to John's mouth. A hot exchange followed with Sullivan the more aggressive, and he started in by getting in a hard left to Mac's stomach, which made the latter wince. The round closed with both men breathing heavily, but with honors in Sullivan's favor.

In the second round Sullivan got in a left and right to Mac's wind, the latter countering with left to face and right to ribs. They exchanged hard lefts and rights and then clinched. Mac got a stiff left to John's mouth and the latter rushed, both swinging hard blows to face and ribs. Sullivan finally succeeded in getting McCormick in a neutral corner and as the latter endeavored to fight his way out Sullivan landed a terrific right on Mac's jaw. McCormick dropped to the floor like a log and was counted out in an unconscious condition, and it was full five minutes before he came to.

Announcement of the decision in Sullivan's favor was greeted with deafening applause that lasted for some time, some of the enthusiasts breaking chairs and furniture in the orchestra pit in their efforts to get upon the stage and congratulate the old champion.

It was then that John L. made his speech and issued his challenges.

That it has been taken seriously in some quarters is evidenced by the fact that Sullivan received a letter from the proprietors of the Arcade Hotel at Guthrie, O. T., offering a purse of \$10,000 for a fight between him

round Dinkle was reeling about the ring, only the gong saving him. During the first three rounds Dinkle showed up strong and at the end of the third honors were about even. With the beginning of the fourth, however, Wilson began to land heavily on Dinkle's jaw, and while the latter stood the gaff well, the last round found him groggy. That he managed to stay the limit was a surprise to the fight fans considering the amount of punishment which he received.

## FAUST DEFEATED TWICE.

August Faust, the New York wrestler, who has challenged John Piening, the Butcher Boy, for the Graeco-Roman championship is certainly not making good, as he went down to defeat twice recently at Montreal, Canada.

Emil Maupas, the French wrestler, won the first victory over him, and Emil Selva, of Paterson, N. J., took his measure.

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## COLE TOO GOOD FOR SCHRECK.

Mike Schreck, of St. Louis, and George Cole were the principals in the weekly show at the Washington Sporting Club, Philadelphia, on Feb. 28. The two men have met before, twice, and on both occasions Cole bested the boy from the World's Fair city. Cole, who is fighting good now, proved to be far superior to Schreck, and the way he lathered the Western middleweight was a sight.

## AND NOW CAESAR ATTELL.

Caesar Attell, brother of Abe Attell, scored a knockout in the second preliminary, when he met Mike Kelly, previous to the Corbett-Nelson fight, at San Francisco recently. They put up a slashing fight, but Kelly ran foul of a smash on the jaw in the fifth and the affair was ended.

## A WARNING TO SWINDLERS.

It doesn't seem necessary to make any comment on the following letter, but it is a warning which should be heeded:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
City of Corning, N. Y.  
POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF'S OFFICE.  
Member Association Chiefs of Police, New York State,  
February 21, 1905.

MR. RICHARD K. FOX—Dear Sir: Thomas Hunt, the man who swindled the POLICE GAZETTE subscribers in this city, and who was indicted for escaping jail, was yesterday sentenced on a plea of guilty for escaping from County Jail, in County Court, held in this city, to one year in the Monroe County Penitentiary, Rochester, N. Y.

Very truly yours,  
JAMES RYAN, Chief of Police.

## A VICIOUS SIX ROUNDS.

Buddy Ryan, of Chicago, had nothing on Jack Clancy at the National A. C., Philadelphia, on Feb. 28. Clancy surprised a whole bunch of persons by doing some clever work, and in some rounds outpointing and even outfighting Ryan. Had the bout gone longer of course, there might have been another story to tell.

Ryan did not show up in the best of condition. He looked rather fat and did not seem to have made much preparation for the bout. He was slow and it was not until the last round that he woke up and went after Clancy in a professional manner. Clancy on the other hand started right out and fought under the advice of Jack O'Brien. For the first three rounds Clancy outpointed Ryan with his jabs and hooks. In the fourth round Clancy showed that he could take a punch. Ryan succeeded in getting two or three over to the face, but Clancy shook them off and was back at Ryan again.

Buddy had to take several hard punches that he did not like.

In the fifth round Clancy kept right at Ryan and rushed him to the ropes, making him break ground. At the close of the round Ryan fought back hard and Clancy did not look so good. It was not until the last minute in the sixth round that Ryan cut loose. He went at Clancy savagely and pounded him all over the ring, but Clancy always had a punch in hand and Ryan did not get off very easily.

The seal-windup between Johnny Ruse, of Chicago, and Tony Bender, of Elizabeth, was a good show. It was Ruse's fight.

## SPORTS OF ALL KINDS.

Mitchell Brothers, Findlay, Ohio, have purchased Guy Tranby, 2.10½.

Frank Erne, with Billy Elmer, has opened a school for boxing in New York.

Scott McCoy will sit behind Gazote, 2.16½, this season, as his employer, S. de Ridder paid \$6,200



DICK HYLAND.

The San Francisco Bantamweight Boxer who wants Another Chance at Frankie Neil.

for the fast four-year-old trotter recently at the Chicago auction.

A stake of \$10,000 is being talked of for the Columbus Grand Circuit meeting.

Tommy Ryan has a pupil named Johnny Morrison who is a very promising boxer.

Jack O'Conner, St. Louis Browns' catcher, has announced that he has quit the game for good.

Eddie Lockwood will train for historic Strong Ford, the home of Austral, sire of Her Grace.

Harry Tuthill, former trainer of Young Corbett, is now trainer for the New York Baseball Club.

Jack Warner signed his contract with the St. Louis National League Club during the League meeting.

Fred Cowman, who has for several years been fairly successful abroad as a jockey, has sailed for Europe.

At Rochester, N. Y., on Feb. 28, Charles Kaiser defeated Fred Bolz in a wrestling match. Kaiser won two falls.

The Senate Codes Committee reported favorably Senator Frawley's bill permitting amateur boxing in New York.

Jack O'Keefe won his fight against Harry Griffin at Coal City, Ill., recently, with a knockout in the fourth round.

Young Corbett may open a cafe in New York, and a well-known sporting man has offered to furnish the capital.

Edward Duryea, the veteran horseman, for many years a familiar figure on Long Island trotting tracks, died at Glen Head recently.

Cincinnati should secure Schwarzwabber from Detroit as a running mate for Hoelsketter. Then there would be a strike of the local scorers.

Dutch Thurston won from Charles Willie in the fourth round of what was to have been a fifteen-round contest, at Bakersfield, Cal., recently.

Wesley W. Coe, Jr., at Boston, on Feb. 25, put the 16-pound shot 49 feet 1½ inches, beating by 3½ inches the previous record held by Ralph Rose.

M. J. Dwyer got the decision over Jack Monroe in a wrestling contest before the Birmingham (Ala.) A. C., on Feb. 28, winning two falls out of three.

Tony Caponi, recently taken in charge by Ted Murphy, formerly Battling Nelson's manager, fought a six-round draw with Joe Curtain, at Kenosha.

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at Hot Springs training for a coming contest, was communicated with and arrangements were finally made to have him meet Sullivan for four rounds.

Sullivan's statements early in the week having indicated that the boxing contest that he might have with any one that cared to appear in the ring with him would be no hippodrome was the card which brought an overflow crowd to witness the contest between himself and McCormick.

Sullivan weighed nearly 300 pounds when he stripped for the ring, while McCormick looked to be in fine condition and weighed in at 196 pounds.

McCormick made his appearance in the ring first, and was received with generous applause. Sullivan followed soon after, and his reappearance in fighting costume, together with his perennial popularity, set the house in an uproar of applause that lasted fully a minute and a half.

Sullivan hardly looked that of olden days nor that of a man about to do battle. He weighed 273 pounds, but

and Fitzsimmons. Sullivan has accepted, and a copy of the letter has been forwarded to Fitzsimmons for his acceptance. Sullivan says nothing would please him more than to fight the Australian.

The fighting record of Sullivan will be found in full in the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" for 1905, which is sold by all good newsdealers.

## DINKLE BEATEN GROGGY.

Kid Wilson, of Orange, N. J., bested Billy Dinkle at the Wilmington (Del.) A. C. Casino, on March 1, and the latter had much trouble in staying the six rounds. It was a hard fight from the start, and during the sixth

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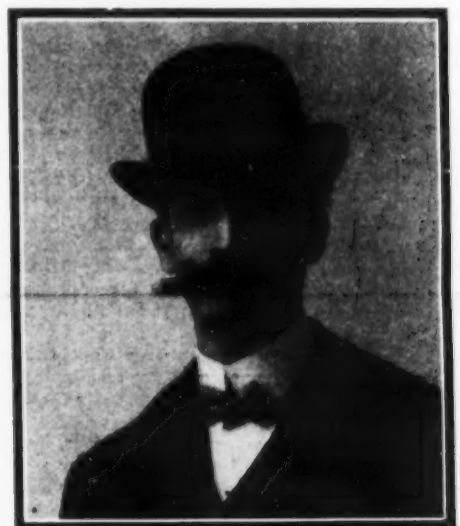
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Prof. Mike Donovan, the boxing instructor of the New York A. C., who enjoys the honor of being the boxing teacher of President Roosevelt, and who has just returned to New York City after a visit to the White House, claims to have been in a manner responsible for Jim Corbett becoming the champion pugilist of the world. It was Donovan who secured backing for Corbett to fight Sullivan at New Orleans and then had the pleasure of seeing Corbett come home with \$45,000, which was the winner's share in that memorable fight.

"Prof. Donovan is a most remarkable man," said Mike Conley, in a recent interview. "It was he who gave me my first lesson in boxing, and although I have not seen him for years, I have never forgotten the kindness he showed me in my early career. He is not only a competent boxer, but is conscientious about his work and you can bet that the President knew what he was about when he selected Mike to spar with him. Donovan has been boxing instructor at the New York A. C. ever since 1885, and how he came to get that position is an interesting story. Just about the time the New York A. C. made known that the organization would appoint a boxing instructor Walter Watson arrived in this country from England, with the reputation of being a very clever boxer. Donovan was a candidate for the New York A. C. position and so was Watson. Considerable feeling was manifested by the friends of the two men, and as a result a ring contest was arranged. Donovan and Watson came together and the Englishman had to lower his colors to Mike, who was then a slashing good middleweight. That's how Donovan got the job and he has held it down with credit ever since.

"After being defeated by Donovan, Watson went to the Pacific Coast, where he was engaged as instructor at the famous Olympic A. C., which turned out some great fighters in days gone by. It was Prof. Watson who put Jim Corbett to the front and made a successful fighter out of him. It seems strange, but it is nevertheless true, that Donovan secured the backing for the pupil of the man he had whipped and sat in Corbett's corner when the latter won over Sullivan. Another peculiar part to the story is that Corbett afterward took Watson's job as physical culture instructor at the Olympic Club. Watson started a saloon on the Pacific Coast and is still in 'Frisco and I think a member of the Olympic Club.

"Mike Donovan was born in what is now the city of Chicago. His brother Jerry was one of the most sought after men in the days of bare-knuckle fights. In those days the man who had the best second generally came out on top in the milling. Jerry is still alive and lives in New York State. He and Mike used to work on the Erie Canal together. They are boat caulkers by trade. Mike Donovan fought around St. Louis before going East and won a number of battles."

Donovan, by the way, claims to have been the originator of the famous shift, used with such good effect by Bob Fitzsimmons.

According to Donovan, this blow, properly executed, is the most effective smash in the category of a boxer's skill. It is nothing more than a variation of an ordinary right hand lead for the body, only the left is used instead. In striking, the body must be swung first from left to right, stepping forward at the same time with the right foot. By this means the striker's body gains a greater swing as he comes forward with the left hand, and the force of the blow, if applied correctly, will bring an opponent down, no matter how strong or heavy he may be. It was just such a knock by which Fitzsimmons whipped Jim Corbett, at Carson City, in 1897, and the same which laid Harry Forbes low in Chicago recently, when he met Frankie Neil, the bantam champion.

"It was mainly through an accident that I came to invent the shift," says Donovan. "It occurred in my third match with William C. McClellan, of New Brunswick. We met in San Francisco, August 18, 1878. We had fought twice before in New York. In the first encounter I lost on an alleged foul, an unjust referee disqualifying me because I indulged in two-handed fighting. The next time I defeated McClellan in 17 minutes. My last battle with McClellan was for a purse of \$1,000 and \$650 for expenses, a large sum of money in those days, and only obtainable by a few.

"On the night of the fight I was in perfect condition, and barring accident, I figured that I could not lose. We fought under London prize ring rules, on a hard floor. McClellan would not meet me under any other rules, believing that his knowledge of wrestling would enable him in some way to cripple me. At the beginning of the fight I forced matters, and in the first three rounds had things all my way. At the call of time for the fourth round I turned to my second, Joe Winnow, who had trained Tom Hyer for his battle with Yankee Sullivan, and said:

"Joe, I will finish him this round, I'm sure." To make my assertion good I led off with the right, meaning to do the trick if I could. I struck at him with such force that I lost my balance, falling on Mac's shoulders as he ducked to avoid the blow. In doing so he caught

me by the leg, lifted me clean from the floor and threw me over his head. It was a deliberate foul, but the referee refused to allow it.

"I was badly dazed, but recovered in a few seconds, and toed the scratch for the fifth round. I then discovered that I could not raise my right arm, the fall having injured my shoulder. Raising my right arm with my left hand I put my thumb on my belt to support the arm and continued fighting. None but those who have had a similar experience can realize the dreadful state of mind and feelings that I experienced at that moment. Defeat stared me in the face, but my

mitted every breach known to the game, I knocked McClellan out. I thought I had won, but the referee, to the amazement of every one present, called the battle a draw. This fight lasted four hours and five minutes. A doctor visited me the next morning and discovered that I had a badly dislocated shoulder. I met McClellan twice afterward, and defeated him easily on both occasions. He was a determined and game man. McClellan is now in the Soldiers' Home in Virginia.

"I afterward taught the 'shift' to Jack McAuliffe, and he won many championships with it. I also taught it to Pete McCoy when we were traveling with John L. Sullivan in the summer of 1884. McCoy was an apt pupil, and when he fought Duncan McDonald, in Butte City, Mont., he was almost defeated until he used this blow and knocked out McDonald. All clever boxers use this punch now. Sidestepping, ducking, and, in fact, all the scientific movements which the active men of the present time are claiming as their own I taught my pupils many years before the men now most prominent before the public were known. So, you see, there is nothing new under the sun, even in boxing."

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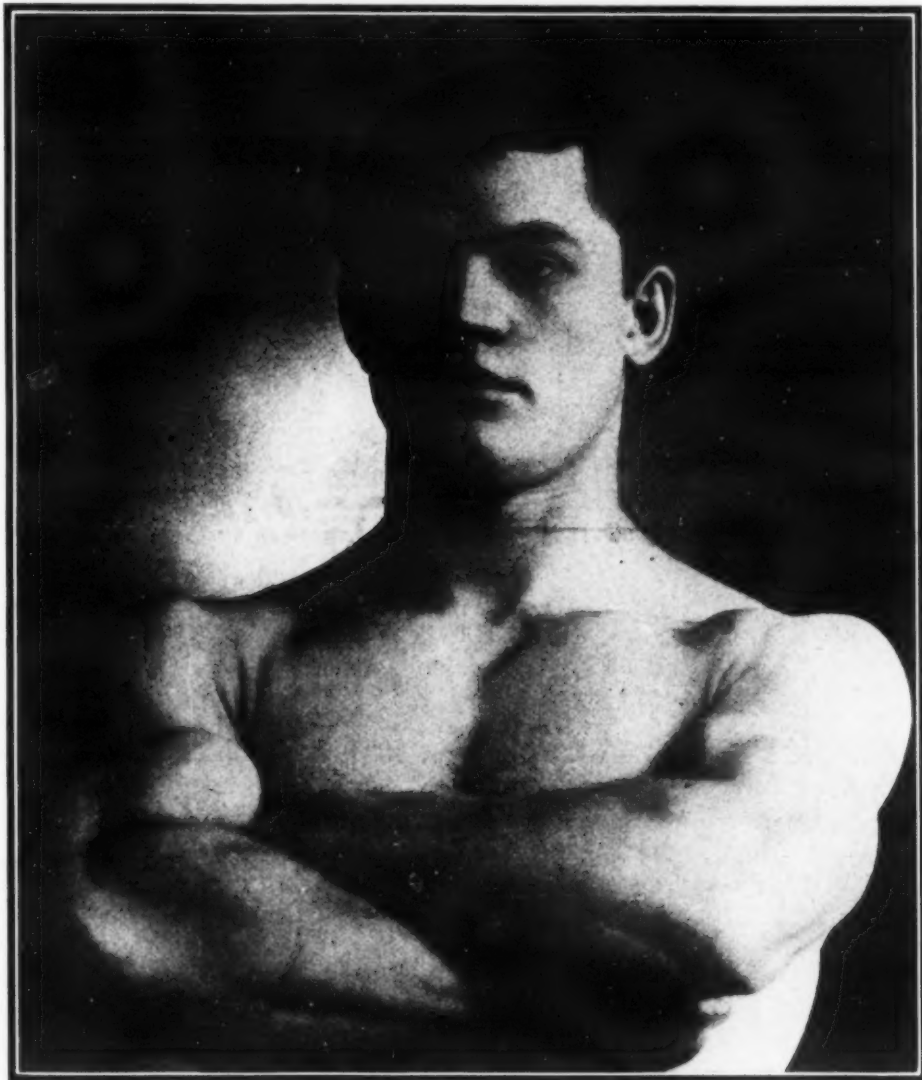
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### DONAHUE'S NEW PUNCH WORKED.

Young Donahue, of Boston, was given the decision over Jimmy Burke, before the Unky A. C. Lawrence, Mass., March 2, after twelve furious rounds. Donahue chopped Burke's face to a pulp with a straight left jab. As early as the second round the Boston boy



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"Having read in the Police Gazette the Challenge of Pierre Gasnier, who Claims to Excel in Dumb-bell and Weight Lifting, we will back the above Athlete against him for any Amount.—North Side Athletic Club, Chicago, Ill. Per A. G. Haferkorn."

Judgment did not desert me, and for some time I was successful in keeping the extent of my injuries to myself. I even managed to conceal the fact that I was hurt from personal friends in my corner.

"They kept on yelling: 'Why don't you use your right, Mike?' Fearing that my opponent would discover my crippled condition, I managed to whisper to my friends of the injury, and fought on as best I could. In the eighth, when matters looked decidedly blue, I concluded to adopt different tactics. It was at this juncture that I was forced to adopt a new blow of my own invention, a blow which I am positive was never before used by any one.

"Getting Mac in his corner, he ducked and sidestepped to the right. I followed, stepping forward with my right foot in advance, and swinging my left arm, struck him squarely on the left jaw, knocking him out of the ring and out of time for over two minutes. The limit under the rules, you know, was half a minute. While McClellan was being cared for by one of his seconds, Arthur Chambers was frantically claiming a foul, this being a ruse to gain time and enable McClellan to recover. Thinking the referee ignorant of the rules, I said to him:

"You know I've committed no foul."

"But the fight was allowed to proceed just the same. Finally, in the 96th round, after McClellan had com-

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## CHALLENGES

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Fred Rubens, on behalf of Dave Donovan, challenges Abe Attell at 122 pounds.

The Emerald Football team of South Brooklyn, N. Y., challenges all teams averaging 100 pounds.

Ike Brooks, a famous bronco buster, of Franklin, Cal., challenges anyone to produce a horse he cannot ride.

James F. Aldredge, of Leon, Iowa, issues a challenge to Frank Gotch, whom he will meet on the mat or in the ring.

Lemuel George, of York, Pa., who is now with Troop L, Fourth United States Cavalry, challenges any bugler in the army.

Young Hurley, a hundred pound boxer, is ready to meet any of the little fellows and claims the one hundred pound championship.

Dave Cronin, of the Brooklyn A. C., at Waterbury, Conn., wants to wrestle Dan Pickett, and will agree to throw Pickett twice in an hour.

Fred Feno, a good wrestler, who weighs but 100 pounds, wants to settle the question of supremacy on the mat with any one about the above weight.

F. R. Dubbs, owner of the Arlington bowling alleys, Shamokin, Pa., is an expert pool and billiard player, and challenges anyone at these games.

Al F. Murphy, captain and matchmaker of the Lincoln A. C., 32 Bernice street, San Francisco, will match George Braun, champion lightweight wrestler of the Coast, against 135-40-pound man in the business.

Terry McGovern, in a letter to this office, has issued a challenge to Jimmy Britt, Battling Nelson or Young Corbett, to battle at 130 pounds at 3 o'clock. He offers to post a forfeit of \$5,000 with the POLICE GAZETTE to bind any match which may be made.

Mike Broderick, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who knocked out Babe Broadhead in the fourth round of what was scheduled to be a six-round bout, at the smoker of the Bartender's Union on Feb. 23, at Newburg, N. Y., is looking for a match and will meet anybody in his class.

Tom Moore, with the "Hoity-Toity" Company, on tour, who holds the POLICE GAZETTE coon shouting medal for 1903, challenges Tascott, the holder of the POLICE GAZETTE 1904-5 medal, to meet him for both trophies and \$250 a side. Voice, style, mannerism and dialect to count.

I see where Major F. A. Smith, of Corning, N. Y., challenges me to a baton swinging contest for a \$100 side bet and the championship of the world. Let him or his manager meet me at the Enquirer office, on Monday evening, March 20, at 8 o'clock, and a match can be arranged.—Major Peter Kramer, World's Champion Single Baton Swinger, Buffalo, N. Y.

### PONS EASY FOR PARR.

Jim Parr, the English catch-as-catch-can wrestling champion, easily defeated Carl Pons, of Montreal, at the State Armory, Utica, N. Y., March 2. Parr won the first fall in ten minutes and thirty seconds, and the third fall in sixteen minutes and thirty seconds.

### JENKINS DEFEATS PARR.

Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, the former champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, defeated Jim Parr, the English champion, on March 3, at New York City, in two straight falls. Jenkins won the first fall in 19:12 by a half Nelson and inside crotch hold. The second bout lasted 9:55, when Jenkins downed his man with a head lock.

Parr made repeated efforts to score a fall in the first bout, but after allowing him to take the aggressive for a few minutes, Jenkins went after his man, and after some very lively work by both, Jenkins got a half Nelson and leg hold. Just as he was about to turn his man over Parr got away and the pair again locked hands while on their feet. Parr then went down on all fours and Jenkins set to work getting hold after hold until he finally secured a half Nelson and inside crotch hold. Parr worked vainly in an effort to break the hold, but he was in a helpless condition and inch by inch Jenkins forced his shoulders to the mat until Referee Bothner tapped him on the shoulder signalling that a fall had been scored.

It did not take Jenkins so long to score the second fall for he went after his man from the start, never letting up until he secured the fall.

### A PRIVATE KNOCKOUT.

A private fight which lasted seventeen rounds and ended with a knockout, was held in the upper part of New York city, March 2. The bout, which was scheduled to go to a finish, was a most brutal one, and was witnessed by one hundred and fifty men.

Kid Garland and Buttsey Butler, were the principals. They were about equal in weight and reach and have boxed together before.

The fighters were evenly matched, but the Kid had the better punch. Knockdowns were frequent in the later rounds, still the spectators urged the fighters on to a knockout. This came in the middle of the seventeenth round. Butler had been groggy for several rounds, and the Kid's seconds had been calling on him to go in and finish his man.

Butler took the nine seconds count twice, but gamely got to the ropes and stalled his opponent until the inevitable happened. He went down from a right swing to the jaw and was counted out. It was several minutes before he regained consciousness.

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By K. SAITO.—No. 1.

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This paper has done more to introduce the famous and hitherto secret Japanese science in this country than all other publications combined, and M. Ohashi's book, The Science of Jiu-Jitsu, which is No. 8 of Fox's Athletic Library, has had, and is having, an extraordinary sale, both in this country and England, as well as Australia.

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Scarcely a day passes when a Jap who knows Jiu-Jitsu does not give a practical demonstration of what the science really is, and it was only recently that two clever young men from Tokyo went to Princeton University and gave an exhibition. One of the Japs, who weighs 105 pounds, called upon the students for volunteers to wrestle with him, and after some hesitation, natural after the exhibition just given by the Japanese of the possibilities of the art, N. D. Tooker, the Princeton football end and champion wrestler, volunteered. He was quickly thrown, and then Gymnastic Instructor Feagles took a turn. Feagles by a quick attack put the Japanese on his back, but the Princeton man soon lost his advantage and was in turn downed.

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PLATE NO. 1.

This shows the grip with one hand to carry out the Arm Twist. It is a simple movement and is made very effective by being done quickly, but great care should be taken in practice in order that no injury may follow.

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### DURANE BEATS YOUNG PIERCE.

Young Pierce, of Germantown, a colored boy, and Jack Durane, of Savannah, went through six rather

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strenuous rounds before a large crowd at the Frankford A. C., Philadelphia, on Feb. 27. Pierce opened with a lightning left, jabbing Durane's face, but Jack would not be denied and kept boring in swinging his arms in a series of miscellaneous blows that compelled Pierce to break ground repeatedly. Pierce tried hard to even up affairs in the later rounds, but Jack maintained the lead to the end and was entitled to a shade.

Young Cante and Eddie Wallace went six rounds to a draw, as did Squire Fisher and Benny Jacobs.

### COTE'S CLEVERNESS WON.

Arthur Cote, of Biddeford, easily defeated James McInnis, of Bangor, for the lightweight championship of Maine, at Bangor, on Feb. 27. McInnis going out in the first minute of the tenth round.

After the first three rounds Cote cut loose, and gave his man terrific punishment, landing almost at will. McInnis fought gamely until the tenth, when he was sent down for the count, with a swing to the jaw.

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### CLOSE DECISION FOR BRIGGS.

Jimmy Briggs, the New England lightweight champion, was given the decision over Jack Lowery, the New York featherweight, in the fifteen-round contest before the Rockingham A. C., of Portsmouth, N. H., on Feb. 27. Briggs out-weighted Lowery fully ten pounds, but the New Yorker's cleverness almost overcame this handicap.

The bout was a furious one. Briggs adopted his usual rushing tactics. Lowery worked a left hand to the New Englander's face. This was a pretty punch, which he followed with a right cross, and damaged Briggs' face considerably. Briggs took the lead in the first ten rounds, but the New Yorker showed remarkable gameness, and for the last five rounds evened matters. Many of the spectators were of the opinion that Lowery should have received a draw and howled for this verdict at the conclusion of the bout.

### A FAST DRAW.

In the fastest bout ever seen in Haverhill, Mass., Young Kenney, of Lawrence, and Matty Baldwin, of Charlestown, went twelve rounds to a draw before the Haverhill A. C., on Feb. 27. Both men were in good condition, and they went after each other from the start, keeping things moving all the time.

Baldwin did some great ducking and his work in the clinches was exceptionally good. Kenney forced the fighting the greater part of the time, but his punch lacked power. In the final round Baldwin did some clever work, but it came too late.

Teddy Atkins won from Joe Hennessy in six rounds of fast boxing. Willie Mack and Young Chisholm fought a six-round draw.

### SOME GOOD BOUTS.

Tony Bender, of Elizabeth, N. J., failed to put in an appearance at the Manhattan A. C., Philadelphia, Pa., on Feb. 28, where he was scheduled to meet Harry Lewis, and Eddie McAvoy and George Walker were substituted. It was another case of the substitution proving better than the original, as the boys went through six fast rounds exchanging blow for blow. There was no lack of aggressiveness shown by either boy. They were off with the bell, McAvoy working with his left in a way that surprised the spectators as the bout progressed. He very readily used his right, and when he got it around there was always plenty of steam went with it. Walker used his left with all the weight of his body behind it when opportunity afforded, and when he did not have the chance of bringing his

shoulders in play, the punch itself did not seem to lose any of its force. It was a rattling good bout and at the end honors were even.

In the preliminaries Cyclone Sip, a coal black, stopped Young Hill in three rounds, while a stiff right hand punch under the heart compelled Young Curley to take the count from Terry Lear.

Mississippi, the colored fighter, received a sound thrashing at the hands of Jack McClain, of Chester, in six rounds.

In the semi-windup Kid Pierce, of Germantown, hooked and jabbed Kid Stinger for six rounds without doing any visible damage.

### DEVINE AND LANSING DRAW.

Jimmy Devine and Jack Lansing, old-time rivals, were the stars at the reopening of the Keystone A. C., Philadelphia, on Feb. 27, and as on former occasions, they put up a good mill which went the limit, with honors about even.

In the preliminaries, Jack Meeker shaded Young Jack O'Brien, while Ed Steele completely outclassed Young Haecher. Tommy McCarty beat Young Franklin, and Jack Langdon, of Port Richmond, repeated the trick on Ed Carlton.

### BOXING IN WISCONSIN.

One of the fastest fights ever pulled off in Southern Wisconsin was the go between Tony Compton and Joe Curtin, of Chicago, which came as the windup of the boxing show given at Kenosha, Wis., on Feb. 27. Compton had Curtin going during the entire six rounds, but as both men were on their feet when the gong sounded the referee called the battle a draw.

It was thought Gov. La Follette would stop the fight and there were half a dozen deputy sheriffs at the ringside, but they made no effort to interfere.

### THE NEW YORK TEAM FOR 1905.

John McGraw, the manager of the New York Baseball Team, National League, and author of the Official Baseball Guide for 1905, No. 10 of Fox's Athletic Library, has started practice with his men at Savannah, Ga. Here is the roster of the team:

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Pitchers—Joseph McGinnity, South McAllister, I. T.; Christy Mathewson, Lewisburg, Pa.; Luther H. Taylor, Baldwin, Kan.; Leon Ames, Warren, O.; George Wiltse, Syracuse, N. Y.; Claude Elliott, Pardeeville, Wis.; and Ernst Lindeman, New York.

Infielders—D. L. McCann, Shelbyville, Ky.; W. O. Gilbert, Trenton, N. J.; William Dahlen, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Arthur Devlin, Washington, D. C.; John Dunn, Baltimore, Md.; Sam "Strang" Nicklin, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Ofa Neal, Ewing, Ill.; William Lauder, New York, and Clyde A. McEwan, Lawrenceville, N. Y.

Outfielders—Mike J. Donlin, Cincinnati, O.; Samuel



PLATE NO. 2.

Here is another way of Twisting the Arm of an antagonist, and it is a hold escape from which is difficult. It takes but a light pressure to force the arm into an unnatural and uncomfortable position, and the move is usually accompanied by a trip which will be shown later.

Mertes, San Francisco, Cal.; George Browne, Washington, D. C., and Archie Graham, Baltimore, Md.

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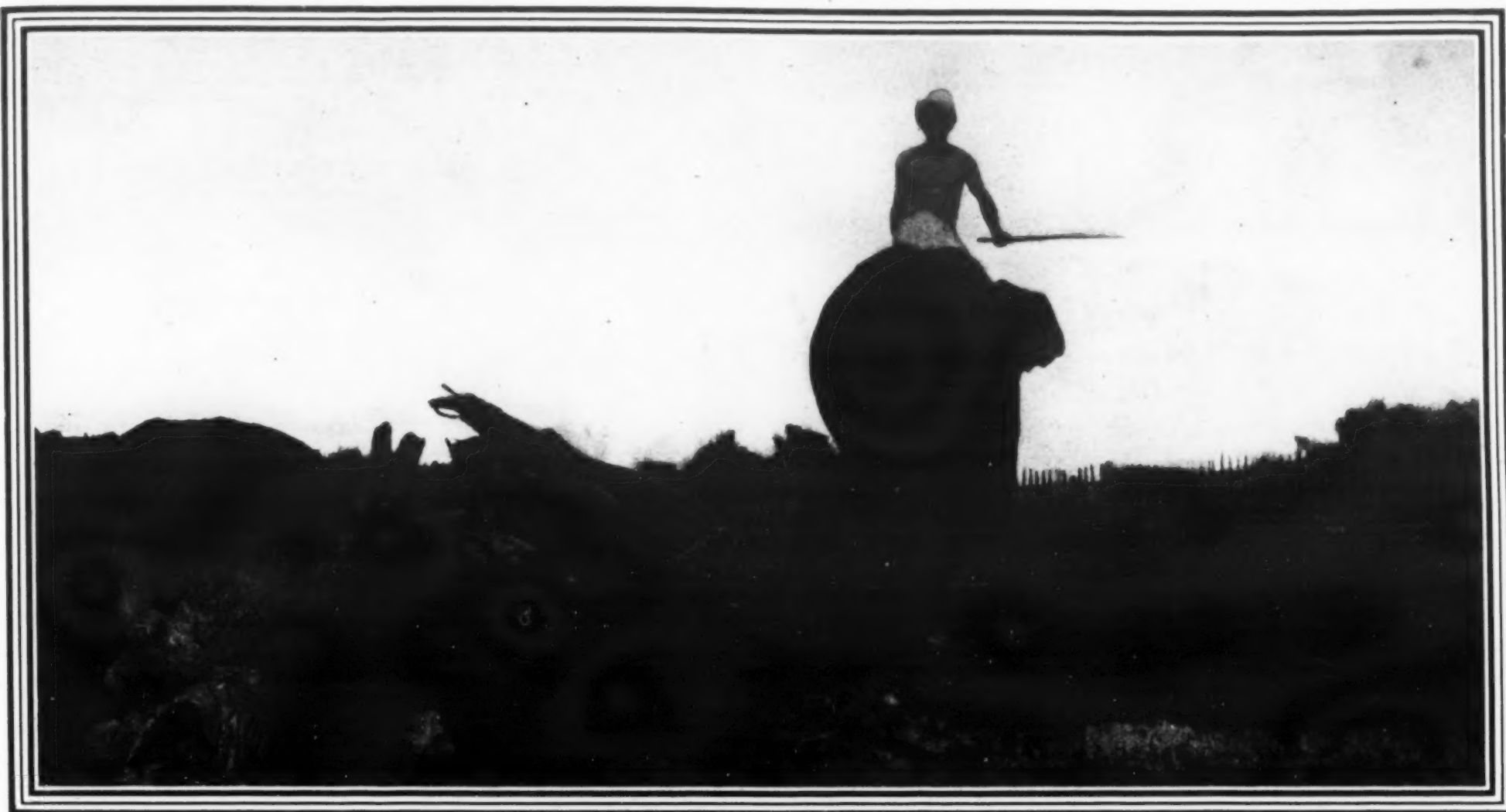
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### FRAWLEY'S BILL FAVORS BOXING IN NEW YORK STATE

Young Corbett's Pugilistic Lustre Dimmed He Will Now Retire---Boxing Club Scheme Declared Illegal---Gossip.

The trans-Atlantic steamship *Oceanic*, which landed here a few days ago from England, brought a trio of distinguished exponents of the fist art in the persons of Charley Mitchell, England's former boxing champion, Jabez White, the British lightweight champion, and Jem Bowker, the little Cockney, who put it over Frankie Neil, the American bantam champion when they fought last summer before the National Sporting Club, of London, for the title of world's champion. It is assumed that White and Bowker are coming here to fight, and are probably provided for in the way of matches. Bowker is slated to meet Frankie Neil and that White will have Jimmy Britt for an opponent. This was the understanding when Mitchell departed to bring the foreigners to America. They were to box in San Francisco. Since then, however, things have changed relative to the pugilistic situation in California owing to the introduction of a bill in the California Legislature to repeal the law that permits fighting there.

The San Francisco A. C. has already offered White and Britt 60 per cent. of the gate receipts for a match at 133 pounds ringside. This has been accepted by Mitchell for White. It is thought, though, that if White and Bowker do not fight at San Francisco, they may get a chance to display their form at Baltimore. Al Herford is willing to give purses for them to appear in that city.

No pugilistic match of recent times created more genuine interest than the one recently fought between Battling Nelson and Young Corbett, and while the result was anticipated by the betting men, who made the Dane the favorite, the shortness of the mill came as a surprise to the followers of Corbett, who at least expected him to put up a longer contest. The Denver man was never in better condition. He had trained hard and faithfully, so his reverse cannot be ascribed to his lack of fettle.

Nelson proved himself the better man, as he did when he fought Corbett before. He was Corbett's master in every round save the first. In this round Corbett managed to reach his man with fair effect. After that the Dane held the key to the situation.

Those who expected to see a finely fought mill were disappointed. Instead of mixing it up from the outset, as was expected, Corbett guarded himself cautiously and refused to wade in. He did most of his work at long range. The second round was even, but from the third on Nelson was slowly but surely beating his opponent down. Corbett went to his knees in the sixth round to escape punishment, and in the seventh he was decidedly groggy and weak. He rallied somewhat in the eighth, but fought wildly. One of his swings landed on Nelson's jaw and for a brief moment the little Dane was dazed. But Corbett did not have sufficient strength to follow up this advantage and Nelson rallied.

Nelson's blows to all appearances must have told, for when he toed the scratch for the ninth Corbett was still dazed. A couple of punches on the jaw and a few in the wind took the steam out of the ex-champion and it was all over but the explanations. Corbett's seconds saw that it was useless to allow their man to take any further punishment, so they wisely threw up the sponge.

After the bout Nelson made the statement that he felt confident of winning from the start. He thinks that he could have ended the mill quicker than he did, but he said he followed the instructions of his seconds, who advised him to use caution and care. Young Corbett did not have any fault to find with the outcome. He acknowledged that he was fairly beaten and that there was no doubt that Nelson was the better man.

The house did not figure up financially as well as the promoters had expected. About \$19,000 was taken in at the door. Of this amount the fighters received 60 per cent., of \$11,400. This was divided on a basis of 65 and 35 per cent., so that Nelson will get close to \$7,400 and Corbett about \$4,000. Nelson backed himself to a considerable extent and it is said that he cleared up about \$4,000 more. Betting on the mill was vigorous, Nelson being a 10 to 8 favorite.

The Frawley bill which has for its purpose, the legalizing of amateur boxing, is making slow but steady progress through the New York State Senate and the probabilities of its ultimate passage are satisfactory both to its promoter and the big moguls of amateur athleticdom, who fostered and encouraged it. The fact that the bill will become a law has aroused intense interest among the local athletic clubs and the many New Yorkers who believe in the manly art of self-defense. The fact that the proposed law provides that the sport shall be under the control of the Amateur Athletic Union is in itself a guarantee that professionalism will be entirely excluded. James E. Sullivan, secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, who is a warm advocate of the bill, said:

"If the bill becomes a law the A. A. U. will see to it that the amateur rule is strictly enforced. A club that has not first secured the sanction of the A. A. U. cannot operate under the proposed law, and boxers who have not been officially registered as amateurs cannot compete. There can be no loophole through which professionals can crawl. Amateur boxing is harmless, especially where it is conducted under the humane rules that govern the A. A. U. bouts. Knockouts are not permitted, and when one man appears to be worsted in the slightest degree the bout is ended. Boxers cannot in-

flict much damage with eight ounce gloves and bouts limited to four or five three minute rounds are not too long to tax a man's strength beyond a reasonable amount of endurance. The sport is immensely popular, and if it is legalized local athletic clubs will double their membership."

While professional boxing naturally excites a greater amount of interest, amateur bouts would be welcomed

pace that kills has been his undoing, and that rest and training cannot restore his lost vitality.

Corbett's retirement will be deplored by many of the Denver lad's friends who have learned to like him. Although not so popular as Terry McGovern, he has many admirers, who, until his second defeat by Nelson, would not be convinced that Corbett had seen his best days in the ring. A lot of money went with Corbett when Nelson whipped him.

Those who backed him really believed that he was not in the best of condition the first time, and that with another chance he might turn the tables. Corbett has had that chance, and has failed.

Nelson is not going to stop until he has secured matches with Joe Gans and Jimmy Britt. Nelson firmly believes that he can whip either man, especially Britt, who recently secured a decision over him on points. It is understood that Britt and Nelson are as good as matched, and that all that prevents the mill becoming a fixture is Senator Ralston's anti-fight bill, which is pending before the Legislature of California. Al Herford, who is in San Francisco, with Gans, says that if they cannot fight in California he will give them an enticing incentive to meet before his club, the Eureka A. C., of Baltimore. Herford is ready to have the men meet during the latter part of March or during the first week in April. Nelson is in fine shape, and says that he will be ready for Britt within four weeks' time if necessary. Joe Gans promises to meet the winner of this bout.

The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has declared that boxing matches run upon the plan of admitting everybody to see them by the spectators being required to purchase applications for membership in the club are illegal. The decision was made in the case of the Commonwealth vs. John Mack and others, holding that such bouts were public boxing exhibitions and come within the provision of the laws making it an offence for any one to set up or promote

round of an exhibition bout which recently took place in Grand Rapids, Mich. The "knockout" may have been on the level, but McCormick always had the reputation of being able to find a soft spot to lay down on when he wanted it, and so few sporting men were inclined to believe that Sullivan had accomplished such a feat. For several weeks Sullivan's manager has been busy sending out all sorts of reports concerning the big fellow, but the knockout of McCormick would seem to cap the climax. John still insists that he wants to fight Jeffries, Corbett or Fitzsimmons, and states that he can get into his old fighting trim in four months. He says Fitz is afraid of him because the Cornishman, in answer to a challenge, declares that any man who would consent to get into the ring with Sullivan should be arrested in order to prevent manslaughter. If Jeffries, Corbett or Fitz should treat John's challenges seriously they would probably come in for some severe criticism.

Senator Keenan's bill to make boxing a feature of public school instruction has not been as warmly endorsed by the directors of learning in New York city as the distinguished statesman expected. On the contrary, I have not found a single school principal who evinced a willingness to express his approval of boxing as a study. As a matter of fact, these gentlemen know to a greater degree, more than anybody else, how essential it is to curb the pugilistic inclinations of the rising generation, and one and all contend that they are called upon to punish more offenders for fighting than for any other cause. They claim that a small boy is naturally pugnacious. He does plenty of fighting as it is. Teach him boxing and he will want to display his accomplishments with his fists. Result: More fighting than at present. A small boy cannot take punishment good naturedly. Many men are the same way. Let them get hit real hard in even a friendly bout and their first impulse is to get back at the other fellow. Result: Blood split.

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## CHAMPIONS DO NOT COME BACK

Beaten Once Seems to Unfit Them For the Game.

The defeat of Young Corbett by Battling Nelson in the fight in which the former tried to upset the tradition that no champion ever lost his title and won it back again, suggested a line of conversation to a group of old-time New York sports, who frequent the Hoffman House Cafe. They were chock full of reminiscences and many a good story of the ring was told by veterans who had "crossed the briny" to see Heenan, the Benicia boy, and Tom Sayers fight for the world's supremacy. Sam Fitzpatrick brought things up to a later date by recalling an incident in the career of Jack Dempsey, the Nonpareil.

"I recall a little happening that took place at New Orleans the day previous to this battle with Fitzsimmons. It will be remembered that Dempsey was the favorite and Mose Gunst and other admirers were sending in tons of money on his chances.

"Especially were they betting heavily that Dempsey would not be knocked out in a certain number of rounds.

"Major McLaughlin, of San Francisco, was a great Fitzsimmons man, and, as afterward proved, won something like \$40,000 on the victory of the red-topped Australian.

"The day previous to the fight, several Dempsey admirers wanted to see Jack box and learn his condition. Jack McAuliffe stripped and put on the gloves with him.

"It was a shame to watch them—there was no time but what McAuliffe could have beaten him.

"McAuliffe himself was the most surprised man in the world, and coming out of the gymnasium he turned to me and said:

"He has no more chance than a man lying on a slab in a Morgue. But don't breathe a word of this to anyone. I almost hate to go into his corner, poor fellow."

"He was no more the Jack Dempsey that fought Fogarty and others the night he faced Fitzsimmons than day was night. But remember, at his best, he was never a match for 'Ruby Robert.'

"It was a strange thing that Jack McAuliffe was in the corner of both Dempsey and Sullivan when they met defeat.

"He of the famous 'Three Jacks' was the only man that never traveled the knockout route or had the referee stand over him and count him out. They were a great trio and lauded in song all over the world.

"Another strange thing about it was that McAuliffe had never seen Sullivan put his hands up until he saw him that night at New Orleans in the ring against Corbett.

"No one was more surprised than McAuliffe, and when he turned around to Dick Roche and Billy Bradburn in the sixth round of that fight, he said:

"This fellow is the biggest stiff I ever saw. Why, the man can't untrack himself. He can't win."

"When Sullivan came back to his corner in the seventh round McAuliffe advised him to 'foul' Corbett and lose the fight that way, as the humiliation would not have been so great.

"But Sullivan, although he tried, could not figure it out in front of the shifty and ever-moving Corbett.

"McAuliffe had just defeated Billy Meyers the night previous and received \$10,000. He gave this to Dick Roche and said:

"Bet it on the big fellow at any kind of odds."

"Imagine his surprise when the battle was over and Corbett had won. He turned to Roche and said:

"He simply burned my money up; I never got a run," and Roche replied: "Jack, I never bet a cent of it. I didn't think well of his chances."

"McAuliffe thought his old friend was 'kidding' for a time, but when Roche handed the money over to him, he realized it was a stern reality, and his face wore a two-by-four smile.

"Pretty lucky," was all he could stammer out."

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Discouraged by the upsetting of his calculations of beating Battling Nelson, Young Corbett is now convinced that he has outlived his usefulness as a fighter, and has decided to quit the ring for good. Corbett made this assertion in San Francisco, the day after the Nelson fight, and from the tenor of his remarks it is believed that he is sincere. But one cannot always tell, especially with pugilists. Corbett agrees that the

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such an exhibition for which the contestants have been promised or receive any reward.

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They asserted, however, that the organization was a bona fide club, and that the giving of the exhibition was not an infringement of the statute. The Commonwealth contended that the evidence showed that the public generally was invited to the exhibitions, and that the club machinery for admitting the public by the form of a membership fee was a mere sham. The Supreme Court upheld the verdict of guilty found by the lower court.

Broadway talks now of the "Indian sign" which Battling Nelson had on Young Corbett. "Once a man is badly beaten by another he seldom comes back to a victory in a second fight. Corbett was fit physically, but Nelson had his heart where he wanted it."

And once more poor old John L. Sullivan blazes in the calcium of public prominence, and all because he "cut loose one of his terrible wallops," as one of the eyewitnesses adequately described the blow, and knocked out easy going Jack McCormick in the second



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Reader, Bayonne, N. J.—Less than 45 seconds.  
J. R., Chicago, Ill.—He has the right to shuffle, but dealer has last shuffle.

A. S., La Junta, Col.—What do four fours and a trey count in cribbage?.....20.

H. E. G.—How many different ways are there to throw seven using two dice?.....Six ways.

G. D., Cardiff, Ill.—You query was answered in POLICE GAZETTE, No. 1438, dated March 4. [See T. W. in that issue.]

Subscriber, Hamilton, Ohio.—Pitch; 10 points; A has 7; B 9; A bids 3 and makes it; B holds high; who goes out?.....B.

C. J., Priest River, Idaho.—A bets that there is no game out when we tie in seven up game?.....Non-dealer gets game.

T. F. G., Algiers, La.—A bets B that you can order up without a trump in playing euchre; B says you cannot; who wins?.....A wins.

F. C. K., Hoboken, N. J.—Is Gotch, the American catch-as-catch-can wrestler, more than 5 feet 9 inches tall?.....About 5 feet 11 inches.

J. F. B.—In playing auction pitch, my friend bets any ten spot counts for game; I claim it must be the ten of trumps?.....Any ten spot.

J. B., Natchez, Miss.—B claims that in Mexican dice, five kings tie five aces; C claims that if that's the case, five nines will tie five aces?.....B is wrong.

R. F. H., Milwaukee, Wis.—Can you call five natural aces five sixes in a game of Indian dice? Is five aces high throw in Indian dice?.....1. No. 2. No.

P. H. D., Manchester, N. H.—Auction pitch; A has one point to go; B has three to go; B buys and makes high, jack and game; A makes low; who wins?.....A wins.

Reader, Chicago, Ill.—A and B playing pitch, eleven points; they are ten points each; A bids two and makes high, game; B makes low; who wins the game?.....A wins.

A. E. S., Detroit, Mich.—Game of cinch; A had one to go; B had three to go; A bids one; B bids two and makes three; A plays low and claims the game; who goes out?.....A wins.

A. C. W.—A and B play auction pitch; B, who has one to go, deals; A, who has two to go, bids three and pitches the trump; making high, jack, game, but not low; A claims that having purchased for three and making his three with only two to go he goes out before B who has low; who wins?.....B wins.

W. A. K., Glendale, L. I.—Y, D and K play a game of pinochle; Y has the lead and goes out; D needs a trick and so does K; K melds 100 aces, and Y thinks he is not going to favor anybody, so he leads all his aces and then plays a card he had no ace of; now what was his play?.....He ought to have led trumps.

A. B. C., Cleveland, O.—Inquire of a coin dealer in your city. Values fluctuate.

Reader.—I have what they call a chicken chest; what advantage is it over a flat chest?.....None.

M. McC., Houlton, Me.—Such a book was published by the POLICE GAZETTE, but is now out of print.

J. L. E., Brooklyn, N. Y.—What was the date and year when John L. Sullivan defeated Jake Kilrain?.....July 8, 1889.

W. G., Amberg, Wis.—Could you tell me the value of a dime (10 cents) dated 1811?.....Hardly; you might inquire of a coin dealer.

E. F. F., Washington, D. C.—A flag should fly at a right angle from the staff. In your illustration it is upside down and A is right.

N. C. M., Polo, Mo.—Give the record of putting up 50-pound dumbbell straight from shoulder?.....No authentic record in existence.

Alph D., Columbus, Kan.—Give me the address of the journal published in New York city—*Courier des Etats Unis*?.....195 Fulton street, New York city.

W. H. W., Milwaukee, Wis.—Yes, but it is a question whether he ever performed the feat under any legitimate rules governing heel and toe walking.

J. J. C., Cleveland, Ohio.—In Indian dice; which wins; A shakes first and shakes 3 sixes in one flop; B shakes 5 aces in one flop; A had the first shake?.....Aces won.

Wm. W.—Which is the quickest, the eyes or the hands? Was Bob Fitzsimmons' weight ever given out; if so, what is his right weight?.....1. The eye. 2. About 180 pounds now.

F. C. H., Battle Creek, Mich.—Give me the date and number of rounds of the Heenan-Sayers fight and where it was held?.....37 rounds, 2 hours 6 minutes, Farnborough, England, May 20, 1860.

M. D. S., Utica, Ill.—A, B, C and D are playing euchre; A deals; turns heart trump; all pass; A turns heart down; B makes diamond trump; C says "I will play it alone"; can he do that?.....No.

E. B. P., Middletown, Conn.—Setback; A deals and has two to go; B bids A two, and has one to go; A stands for three and B has low of his pitch; A made high, jack, game; who wins?.....B wins.

S. P., Hillsboro, Texas.—Who was the first heavyweight pugilist of the world? How many of them have we had? How did Bob Fitzsimmons win the championship from James J. Corbett, when you say Corbett was never a world's champion? Why isn't Fitzsimmons considered middleweight champion?.....1. You will find many of the questions answered in the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" which has been sent you. 2. By defeating Corbett in an international fight for the world's title. 3. Because he cannot make the weight, 156 pounds.

D. Q., Whitinsville, Mass.—Auction pitch; 10 points out; H had 9 points and D had 8; there were 8 playing; D gave 3 and made high low game on the last trick; H made jack; which wins?.....D wins.

G. T. C., Danville, Ill.—Was John L. Sullivan ever champion of the world?.....He was not. If you have "taken the paper for years," you have doubtless seen the explanation not less than a hundred times.

Troop A., Fort Clark, Texas.—How would Clarence Whistler, the wrestler, compare with present day champions?.....Was probably the best in his day, but doubtful if he would compare with the champion grapplers of to-day.

P. J. R., Sandy Hill, N. Y.—Euchre; A, B, C and D; A and C partners; A deals; B passes; C passes; D passes; A plays alone; D plays alone with A; and A takes three tricks and D takes two tricks; how many points does A make?.....One.

C. E. G., Washington, D. C.—A bet B that Kid McCoy was heavyweight champion at one time by forfeiture, and that Corbett refused to fight him, but later on in September, 1900, Corbett beat him?.....McCoy never was heavyweight champion by forfeiture or otherwise.

S. Y., Chicago, Ill.—Euchre; hearts are trumps; three of us playing; two against the man that picked it up; the man that picked it up plays the nine of clubs; it is my partner's trick; I have no club, but I have a trump and throw off; is that right or wrong?.....You played right.

G. E. W., Cardiff, Ill.—A, B, C and D are playing draw poker; all playing open; B bets C \$1.00; C calls and raises B \$2.00, but has to borrow \$2.00 from A; B raises C \$5.00. C asks A for \$5.00 more; A says "I haven't got it"; has C got a show for the pot?.....C cannot win unless he calls the bet.

J. B. W., East Jordan, Mich.—Could you render any advice to a man of 22, about 140 pounds, without money, but chuck full of the hardest, strongest muscles you ever saw, and genuine stamina, with a desire to get into the ring, how to get there?.....Get some enthusiastic patron of the ring in your locality to match you.

G. B. B., Kansas City, Mo.—A and B are playing casino; A is 17; B is 13; when A deals for the last hand; they play this hand out and B calls the game, but when points are counted there are no cards out, and B only having made 6 while A made 20; although neither are out, A claims the game because B called it when he wasn't out?.....A wins.

J. E. S., Baltimore, Md.—Casino. Can a player having one pile on the board build another at the same time? A player having built a three and a two making five, can the next player put on an ace and make it six, and take it? In building in casino, can a player play any other card out of his hand before taking his build?.....1. Yes. 2. Yes. 3. No.

W. M. St. C., Beaumont, Tex.—Poker; A opens pot (thinks he has openers) B stays; C stays; D stays; A discovers he cannot open pot and shows down; B does not say anything; C and D exposed their hands, but C has openers; when it came around to B he raises the pot; has he the right to raise if he did not declare whether he could open pot?.....He had no right to raise.

H. U. P., The Dalles, Ore.—Can you tell me the age of W. B. Masterson, better known as Bat Masterson, whom I learn has been appointed Deputy United States Marshal for the District of New York, whom I knew when a boy; I used to be a Government teamster when he was a scout under General Miles in 1874; is Henkel marshal for the whole United States or is he marshal for the District of New York only; is there such a thing as a marshal for the whole of the United States?.....1. About 50. 2. Henkel is United States Marshal for the Southern District of New York. 3. No.

G. S. B., Cleveland, O.—In playing a game of seven-up, clubs were trump; A deals; B stands his hand and leads a spade; C and D follow suit; A plays a diamond, but means to play the ten of clubs or trumps, he sees his mistake at once and calls attention to the

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fact immediately, while the trick was still in the centre of the table, says he has a spade, or suit, in his hand and shows it; he then takes up his diamond and trumps it with the ten spot of clubs; the opponents then claimed he must follow suit and not trump; he claimed he could not play off suit as he had suit, and had a right to follow suit or trump?.....He can play the trump.

Indian, San Francisco, Cal.—We have an argument over a game of California dice, sometimes known as Indian dice, in which an ace pairs any denomination. There is a horse on each party; A shakes five aces in one shake; B comes back with five deuces in one shake. Who wins?.....Deuces win.

N. S. & E. G., Walpole, Ill.—A is playing poker in a table stake game; during the game he pulls out a roll of money and puts same in front of him; and before he has a chance to play this money in a pot he puts it back in his pocket; an argument has arisen as to whether you can force A to play this money after he had put same in his pocket?.....He cannot play it.

A. A., Salt Lake, Utah.—A, B, C and D are playing seven up; partner game; diamonds are trumps; A leads a heart; B follows suit; C plays a spade. Before D plays he asks C if he has hearts, C replies yes, takes back the spade and plays a trump. By agreement a revoke is only counted after a trick is taken in and turned down. Was C not compelled to play a heart after taking back the spade, he having a heart in his hand?.....No.

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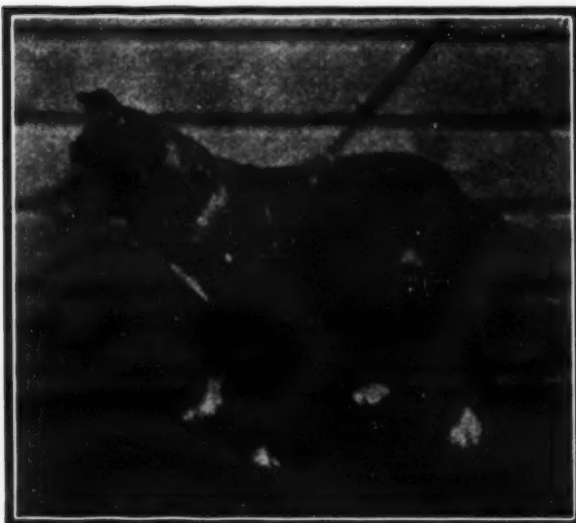
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At San Francisco, on March 3, Sam Berger beat John Long into submission, accomplishing the trick at the opening of the third round. In the second round he put Long down for the count three times, but unsympathetic seconds, gameness on the part of Long, and the timeliness of the bell kept the big teamster in the ring.

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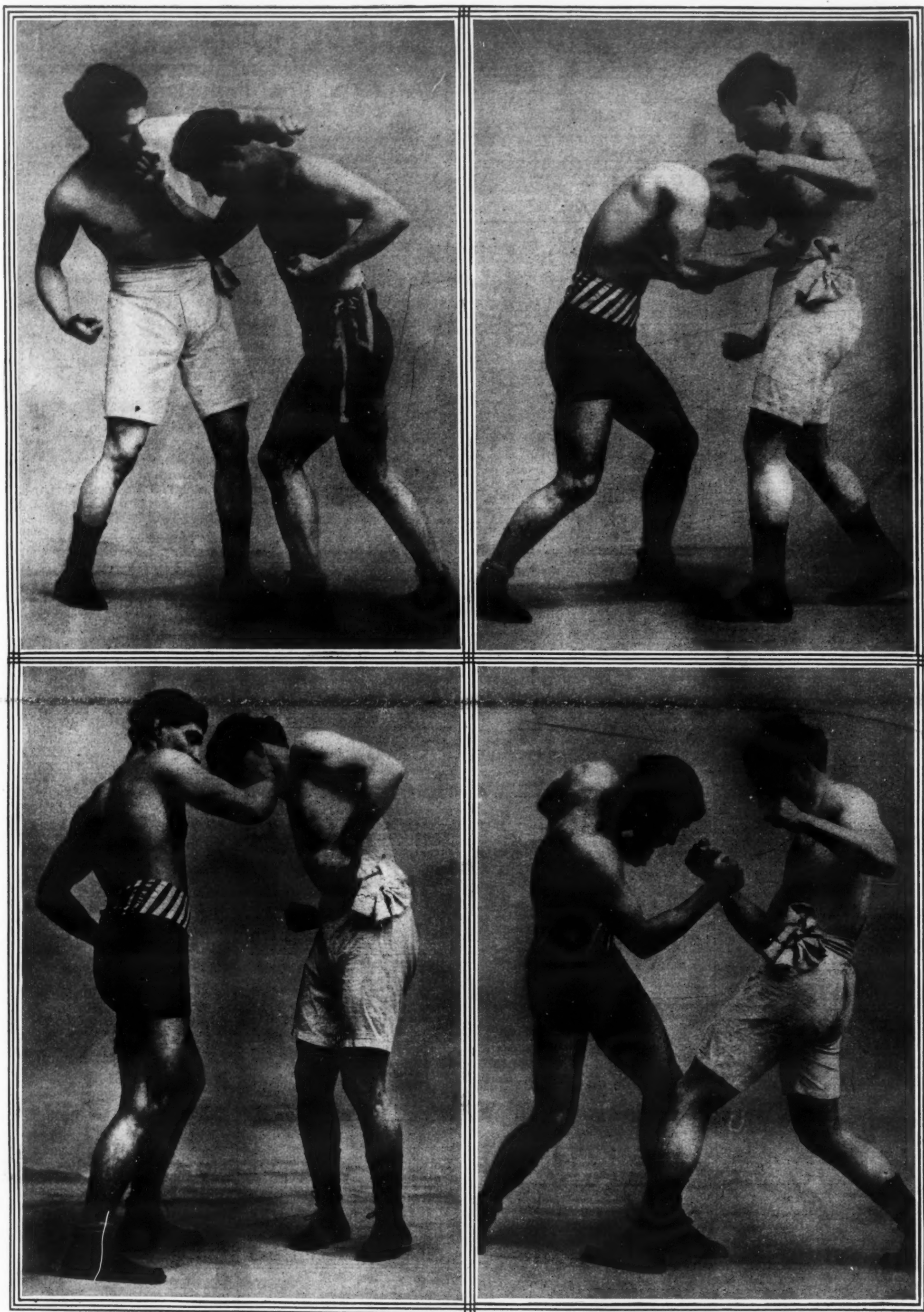
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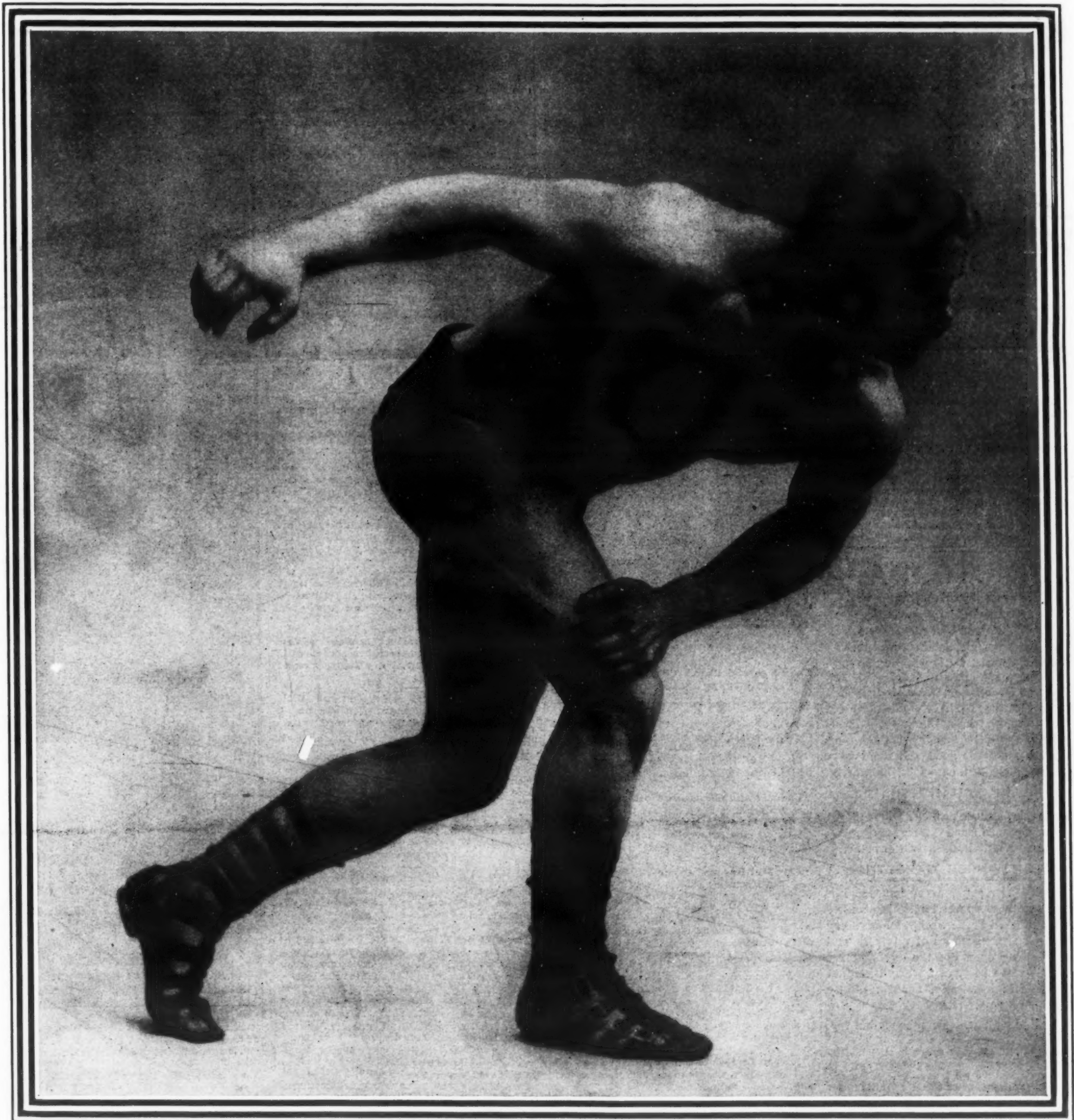


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#### MISCELLANEOUS SPORTS.

An offer of \$12,000 has been turned down for the 4-year old Alice Edgar.

The Harlem River regatta will be held on May 30.

Syracuse's \$10,000 purse will be for 2:14 trotters.

Alta McDonald has great hopes that Lord Derby will stand training.

Princeton University has added wrestling to the list of college sports.

John Anderson probably will be used on first base by the New York Americans.

Azmoor, 2:20½, one of Leland Stanford's favorite sons of Electioneer, is still vigorous and in service at 25, in California.

R. C. Leonard beat his own single-handed ball casting record at Madison Square Garden, March 2, by making a cast of 143 feet 7 inches.

The Detroit Club has decided that if Bobby Lowe is good enough for about twenty other clubs in the country he is good enough for Detroit.

William Casper and Rudolph Aronson, two German sport promoters, have signed contracts with a number of European wrestlers to appear in this country with American wrestlers.

W. W. Coe, of Somerville, Mass., who made a new world's record with the 16-pound shot recently, when he hurled the sphere 49 feet 2½ inches, is desirous of meeting Ralph Rose, of the Chicago A. A. in a special shot-putting contest.

George A. Coleman, of New York, purchased the pacer, Sphinx S., 2:05½, from Fred Spear in New York recently, paying \$2,500. This closes out all of E. E. Smathers' harness horses, except Lord Derby.

Karonwe, a noted Indian athlete, died recently. Forty years ago he had wide repute as a long distance runner and lacrosse player, and toured Europe with an all-Canadian team. In 1868, Karonwe defeated the great Deerfoot in a memorable long distance foot race.

In the swimming contest between the Central Y. M. C. A., of Chicago, and University of Wisconsin teams, H. J. Handy, of the former, broke the world's record at Chicago, on March 5, for fifty yards on the back, making the distance in 35.3-5 seconds. The former record was 36.1-5 seconds.

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# FROM THE MIMIC WORLD

## OF PLAYS AND PLAYERS

—BEHIND THE SCENES AND IN THE GREEN ROOM—

Interesting Gossip Picked up Here and There About the Artists Playing the Continuous Houses.

### PROFESSIONAL NEWS SOLICITED FOR THIS PAGE

Vaudeville Actors and Actresses are Requested to Send Artistic Character Photographs for Reproduction in Halftone.

Morris and Montrose are doing well with their new act, "Slim Jim."

The Three Delmots will soon appear in a new musical comedy sketch, written especially for

Keene, tramp juggler, is on the Kohl & Castle circuit, meeting with success.

Ed F. Reynard, ventriloquist, continues his successful European engagements.

Alexander, phenomenal soprano, reports success with the Great Lafayette Company.

Major O'Laughlin will introduce a novelty in the way of gun juggling the coming season.

Howard and Alton have just closed a four weeks' engagement at the California Theatre, Florence, Cal.

The Stetson Sisters have retired from the profession for a time and have opened a hotel in Bakersfield, Cal.

The Acme Comedy Trio are featuring a new act, called "Confusion," and are playing clubs and Sunday concerts in New Jersey.

O. H. Stafford, who owned an interest in the Bijou Vaudeville Theatre, Rockford, Ill., has disposed of his interest to A. J. Shimp.

La Varde and Huard write that their new act is a success everywhere they play and they have laid off but one week since last September.

Camillo and Fona, contortionists, equilibrists and dislocationists, are on the Levy circuit. They are meeting with success with their act in the West.

Lizzie N. Wilson has resigned from the "Devil's Auction" Company, to go back into vaudeville, but will first take a rest at her home in Buffalo, N. Y.

The Holbrooks, male and female musical act, have just closed a season with their own concert company, having met with success in the Northeastern cities.

"The German Halfbacks" is the title of a new sketch by William Raymond Sill, general press representative of Hamlin, Mitchell & Field's enterprises.

Claus and Montez (Ella and Myrtle) are still meeting with success with the Rentz-Santley Company, and have signed with Abe Leavitt for next season.

Frank L. Perry, terpsichorean violinist, formerly of Perry and Pressly, and Frank L. Cretor, of the Cretor, will be seen in a three act comedy next season.

Fred W. Bayley, formerly manager of Sam T. Jack's enterprises, is now general manager for Cliff W. Grant's attractions, Mr. Bayley having succeeded Charles F. Edwards.

Miss Minnie Harrison, the clever little soubrette, writes in to say that the hit of her act is "Honey I'm Waiting," and that she never fails to more than please her audiences.

Elizabeth Miller, contralto singer, is meeting with big success on the New England circuit. Her repertory includes several of the old favorites, also many of the latest song hits.

Henry and Francis are with the Indian Maldens Company, doing their refined singing and comedy act. Miss Francis is also doing the principal boy, and Mr. Henry the character comedy.

The Mazziottas are working their way East after a year on the coast. They report fine success in their musical novelty, the solos of Mrs. Mazziotta on the tumblericon being especially well received.

The Prentice Trio made the biggest hit of any comedy acrobatic act ever seen in Havana, Cuba, which was to have been expected, for they are wonderfully clever performers and never fail to make good.

A feature of Gus Hill's "Royal Lilliputians" Company, is the rendition of Ted Barron's cyclonic success, "Honey I'm Waiting," by Queen Mab and chorus. Encores are the rule at every performance.

Al Campbell has attracted much attention by the marvelous clearness with which his singing is

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reproduced in the Columbia phonograph records. This is especially true of his two latest records, "Way Down East" and "Pal Of Mine," both are published by Leo Feist.

Robert Emmet Lennon, the famous Irish tenor, will be heard at the American Theatre, singing "My Lady's Eyes," by Robert A. King, and "Honey I'm Waiting," the dainty little serenade by Feist and Barron.

Norman, the Frog Man, has signed a ten weeks' contract with Frank P. Spellman, to be one of the Spellman feature cards at State and County fairs in New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, starting in August.

Mamie Lincoln Pixley, who was featured with "New York Day by Day" Company, which recently closed its season, is rehearsing with Ford and Gehrue, for their big vaudeville act, "The Ten Daisy Girls."

Murray Livingston has closed with the "Queen of the Highway" Company, having played Cohen, the Hebrew comedy part, and done his specialty since the opening, Aug. 18. He will play dates in vaudeville.

Harry La Mack has signed contracts with Elnora McDaniels to manage her bookings for five years. She comes from Australia and has a high soprano voice. Her first appearance in this country will be in vaudeville.

The Schiller Brothers have just finished a thirty-two weeks' engagement throughout the West, and the act met with success. They opened on the Kohl & Castle circuit for five weeks, closing at the Arcade Theatre, Toledo, O.

Miss Anna Lehr, who was singing between acts at the Thirteenth Avenue Theatre recently, met with more than success with Ted Barron's new cyclonic hit, "Honey I'm Waiting," responding to numerous encores at every performance.

Willy Zimmerman, the European mimic, who was especially imported by Richard Pitt last



LOTTIE WILSON.

She Sings and Dances Charmingly and Some Day She Will be With a Show on Broadway.

them by Claude M. Alvieni. The act features Senorita Gureceta Tomaso, in Spanish and toe dances.

George W. Evers has been engaged for all the season at Yale Theatre, Kansas City, Mo.

Steinert and Thomas report success with their new act, "The Emigrants from Germany."

Millie Price Dow will shortly return to vaudeville, producing a new singing and dancing act.

Alex H. Riese and Joseph A. Guro have a new sketch, written by themselves, and begin work Sept. 18.

The Great Alvora, vocalist and dancer, is with the Wills Musical Comedy Company, meeting with success.

The Lynotte Sisters will shortly be seen on the Proctor circuit, featuring Ted Barron's big hit, "Honey I'm Waiting."

Madge Daytelle closed two successful weeks at the Orpheum Theatre, Davenport, Ia, with other good Western work to follow.

Edward Leslie and Mlle. Carrie are booked solid until May 1. They have been filling engagements uninterruptedly since March, 1904.

Charles and Ada Kalmo have just returned to New York from a successful tour of the West, having played the Archie Levy, Lang and Sutton circuits.



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MABEL LAWRENCE.

One of the Cleverest and Daintiest Soubrettes in Vaudeville, Who is Making a Decided Hit.

Summer for Hammerstein's Roof Garden, and who for twenty-four weeks played in New York City, continues to meet with the great success he then made.

Wee Caire, New York's famous little character impersonator, is singing "Honey I'm Waiting" with unqualified success. "Honey I'm Waiting" is published by Leo Feist, and at the rapid strides it is taking toward popularity, will evidently soon outstrip its big brother "Billy," by the same composer.



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## DIFFERENT METHODS OF DIFFERENT REFEREES.

The Boxer Who Does all the Leading Without Landing Effectively Doesn't  
Figure to any Extent--Some Notable Examples.

The job of the average referee of a boxing bout is not an easy one, for when he renders a decision on points at the end of a stipulated number of rounds, he lays himself open to criticism, for partisans will insist that he is either in great error or has acted with extreme unfairness. Such a decision must be based on what ring experts are compelled to call "points;" yet how many referees know what a point is and can keep track of them during a 20-round fight? Strictly speaking, points cover all the good qualities of a skillful boxer. The instructors who give lessons in the manly art of self-defense are sticklers for points, for they regard rough, uncouth slugging as inelegant and entirely out of order.

Ring followers, as a rule, have come to regard a point as a blow squarely landed, although, as a matter of fact, many other things come under this head in a boxing or sparring match. To many it seems odd that a man who is fighting all the time by forcing matters in every round and by trying repeatedly to knock his opponent's head off by heavy swings should be declared a beaten man at the end of a 20-round bout because his rival, though apparently on the defensive all the time, has succeeded in landing the greater number of jabs and counters. The man who shows a willingness to fight all the time and who is still driving his antagonist before him at the end of the battle naturally has the support of ring followers who know little of the science of the game.

The fight between Battling Nelson and Jimmy Britt was an excellent illustration of this sort of work in the ring. Nelson was coming all the time. He was boring in with his heavy swings and rough house tactics and was strong as a lion on his feet at the windup. But Britt, with superior science, kept out of harm's way and at the same time succeeded in landing a greater number of clean blows. Although the referee did not actually count those points, he saw enough of the general style of the men to decide which was the master from a scientific point of view. Yet after the decision had been rendered there was a howl from the Nelson crowd to the effect that as Battling had done all the work he should have won, or might have had a draw at the very worst.

Men who have gone into this question of points generally allow one point when a fighter leads and lands a blow, and a half point if his antagonist is clever enough to counter and reach the mark. In a word they believe that the man who does the leading takes greater chances and is, therefore, entitled to more credit, while the man who bangs back in his attack deserves to be penalized.

In sizing up two fighters, in addition to watching the blows and their effect, a referee is supposed to take

seconds ask of a fighter who is inclined to clinch to avoid punishment. "Use the ring! Get in some footwork!" the seconds cry as their man is wabbling about under a heavy fusillade of punches. In such a case a man who runs cannot be blamed, because he must necessarily try to do his best to escape a knockout. But the rank and file of ring followers would rather see two men stand up and wallop each other until one of them drops than look at a running match in which a sprinter who is quick with his hands in the matter of scoring points is declared victor.

Charley White, one of the most competent referees in the country, can tell at a glance whether a man who is running away is really clever or possesses a yellow

streak. White has made many decisions on points, which have usually been satisfactory, but he has never attempted to count the actual number of blows landed. He has simply watched the respective styles of the two men as they have moved about the ring, and has made a decision in favor of the one who, in his estimation, possessed the greatest amount of cleverness. And nearly every referee in the profession to-day follows this custom.

Some years ago, however, a referee who officiated in several bouts at Coney Island and one of the local amateur athletic clubs, actually tried to count the points, including blows landed and blocks. He had a pair of counters, one in each hand, and clicked off the points first for one and then for the other. As one of the fights over which he presided became a rough and tumble affair, the system failed to work, and the referee quickly threw his counting machines away, much to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Jim Corbett, perhaps, has been the means of showing how a scientific man can score points while in full retreat before an aggressive opponent. It was in his battle with Jim Jeffries at Coney Island that Corbett was running around the ring for twenty-two rounds, jabbing the champion in the face, beating a tattoo on his head with his busy left and at the same time making it impossible for Jeffries to land a solid blow. Corbett's wonderful footwork, by which he used every inch of the floor space, was admired by lovers of clean boxing, but it was also condemned by those who preferred the knockdown and drag out article. George Considine, who was in Corbett's corner that night, was enthusiastic as Gentleman Jim came to his chair after the twentieth round.

"Keep on the move, Jim!" said Considine. "Don't let him put a glove on you and you cannot lose on points! You have outclassed him!"

Corbett promised to keep away, but his personal pride beat him. Some of Jeffries's followers, notably Billy Brady and Billy Delaney, began to yell at Corbett in the twenty-first round:

"Why don't you stand up and fight like a man, instead of running away like a yellow dog?"

Corbett turned white with rage, and also paid no heed to the warnings from Considine. Just to show people that he was not running away, therefore, Corbett stopped short in the middle of the twenty-third round and met Jeff face to face. The boiler-maker had been looking for this chance from the very first tap of the gong, and in less time than it takes to tell it he knocked Corbett clean out with a heavy smash on the jaw. Had Corbett kept away to the end of the twenty-fifth round

he would have won the heavyweight championship of the world on points, although Jeffries was in every particular the master in point of strength and bulldog fighting make-up.

Frank Erne, another fine boxer, was wont to employ similar tactics. He met George Dixon, when the former featherweight champion of the world was in his prime, and by running away from the little colored fighter for twenty rounds he got a decision on points that created a howl of disapproval.

"If I had not done the leading," said Dixon afterward, "there would have been no fight. Erne refused to mix it with me and so I simply went to him. If I had held my hands behind me from the first moment we stood up, not a blow would have been struck. Yet Erne gets the decision."

Dixon fought Erne in the usual way, rushing incessantly, and sending in first the left and then the right. Erne was quick on his feet, escaping many of these swings and at the same time putting in numerous light counters to the face until Dixon's nose bled. At no time did Erne lead, so that the decision was very unpopular, though it was considered fair by some partisans. A draw would have been more suitable.

Take the memorable fight of twenty-five rounds between Jeffries and Sharkey, at Coney Island, for another example. Sharkey did all of the leading. Jeffries had a weak left arm, and the sailor, with his manager behind him, was told to go right at his man from the first round. Sharkey obeyed the command to the letter. He never let up on Jeff for a moment. It was swing, swing, swing for the head and body, Jeff blocking many of the wild blows with either hand, and also countering on Sharkey's body with tremendous punches. Sharkey received a terrific beating in this way and yet he stood up to the game, forcing the fight to the end.

George Siler, of Chicago, who was the referee, gave the fight to Jeffries for the reason that he had landed more blows than Sharkey, who was in bad shape physically at the windup. There was a yell of protest from Sharkey and his manager, but the decision was eminently fair. Jeffries was too big and bulky to run away, so he stood up to it, and Sharkey got several broken ribs. Sharkey's claim, therefore, that he should

have won on points was absurd in view of the fact that he was literally carried to the hospital after the fight, while Jeff, with scarcely a mark, was dressed and out of the arena inside of fifteen minutes.

In many of the amateur boxing bouts in the old days, when there were two judges in addition to a referee, points, or rather, blows, were kept track of with pencil and paper, but even then there were unpopular decisions by the judges. At the National Sporting Club, in England, Referee Angle simply renders his decisions by basing them on the actual work of the contestants. He takes everything into consideration. But he has made some rulings that have been adversely criticised. So it would seem to be a difficult matter for a referee, no matter how competent, to give universal satisfaction when it becomes necessary for him to decide a glove fight on points.

Time was when a championship fight was fought to a finish. A knockout under those circumstances was inevitable, and a referee's task was comparatively easy. But with the law frowning on such affairs nowadays championships change ownership on points, a rather ticklish proceeding, all things considered, in these days of peculiar methods among the unusually slick sports who love to gamble.

All the fine points of the boxing game may be learned by a conscientious study of that recognized authority, "Boxing and How to Train," by Sam C. Austin, sporting editor of the POLICE GAZETTE. This book is an exhaustive treatise on the art of self-defense, besides containing valuable lessons on the science of bag punching, with illustrations posed for by Belle Gordon, POLICE GAZETTE champion lady bag puncher. It is published by Richard K. Fox, and will be sent to any address on receipt of price, 25 cents, with 3 cents extra for postage.

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Adolph Bauer, of the Phoenix Bowling Club, was high man during the recent contest for the POLICE GAZETTE \$500 diamond medal. As usual, the competition was held at Joe Thum's White Elephant alleys, and was sharply contested.

The following were the five leaders:

First prize, Adolph Bauer, Phoenix, 59; second prize, Theodore Addicks, Rosedale, 59; third prize, J. H. Kessler, Rosedale, 58; fourth prize, J. F. Gerdes, Spartan, 58; fifth prize, S. B. Roberts, Spartan, 58.

The series was held under the auspices of the United Bowling Clubs of New York and attracted universal attention.

Mr. Bauer's name will be engraved on a bar which will be added to the big medal.

About a week after the announcement was made, he was presented by Mr. RICHARD K. FOX, proprietor of the POLICE GAZETTE, with a handsome gold and enamelled locket as a souvenir of his prowess.

## CHALLENGES

[The challenge editor will be pleased to publish all legitimate challenges in all sports, such as boxing, wrestling, skating, bowling, swimming, bicycling, walking, running, jumping, etc., etc.]

Kid Wills, of Fall River, Mass., would like to meet any 95-pound boxer, Mike Shon preferred.

Frank McKindley, of East Toledo, O., will match his English Hen Cock, 5:10, against any bird in the State.

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Gene Lowe, of Brooklyn, who is now boxing in Philadelphia, challenges any bantam boxer in the business.

Prof. Jack Miller, of Lancaster, Pa., will match the Kasper boxing midgets, 7 and 9 years, against all comers at their ages.

Jack Sharkey (Deadwood Kid), of Turner, South Dakota, issues a challenge to any boxer in the country at 122 pounds, for a side bet.

M. T. Schick, of the Advance Club, Chicago, Ill., claims to be the champion endurance bag puncher of the United States. He stands ready to meet all comers.

Peter Recupelo has a fine shop at 803 Steinway Avenue, Steinway, L. I. He is fond of sports of all kinds, and keeps the POLICE GAZETTE on file at his place.

T. H. Stevenson, of Ehrenfeld, Pa., challenges any coal miner in the State to box him at 185 pounds, at walking one to five miles, standing high kick or teeth lift.

August Weigel, bartender for John E. Schmidt, Preston and Camp Streets, Louisville, Ky., has many famous gamecocks. He would like to hear from other owners.

Young O'Leary, of Milwaukee, Wis., is ready to meet any man in the world at 126-128 pounds. His recent defeats of Willie McNamara and Tommy Herman show that he is a comer.

Ralph Clancuili, of 199 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted the challenge of Domenic Guida, of 36 Bushwick Avenue, Brooklyn, to meet him in a shaving and hair-cutting contest.

Lieut. Adalbert Cardenal, in a letter to the POLICE GAZETTE, issues a challenge to meet any swordsman in America in a mounted combat with sabres, sharp or blunt. He can be addressed at 214 West Fourteenth Street, New York City.

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accounts of the parrying, blocking, sidestepping, slipping, ducking and general footwork, and is also expected to resort to radical measures when a fighter deliberately runs away from an opponent. Yet there is an argument in favor of the tin can pugilist, as a runner is called, set forth by the statement that the ring, under Marquis of Queensberry rules, must be 24 feet square, so that a pugilist may have plenty of room in which to manoeuvre.

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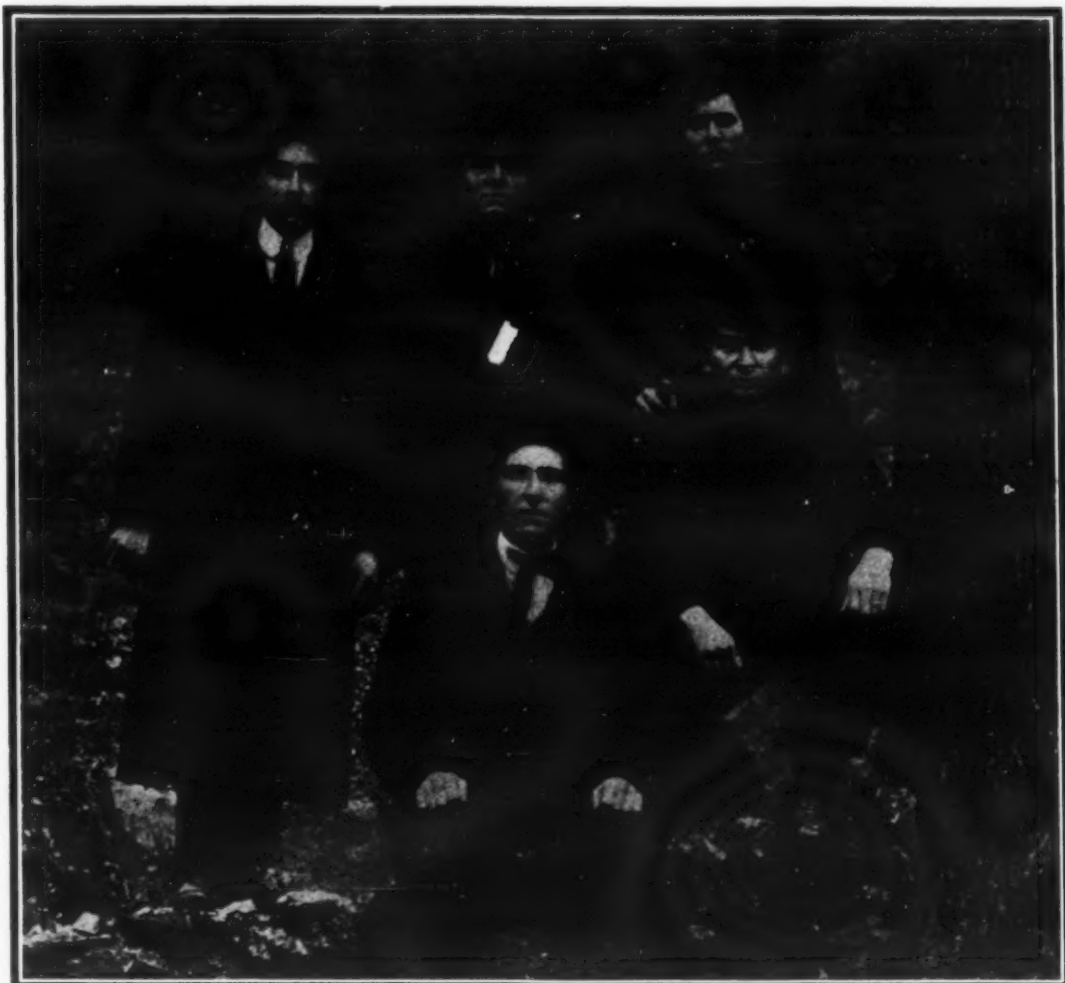
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There have been many arguments about the origin of baseball, but Ted Sullivan, one of the old-timers, who has a good memory, is of the opinion that it may be the evolution of town ball, barn ball or two-old-cat. He has gone on record as denying that it is developed from the old English game of rounders.

From the time that the game was regularly played by the Knickerbockers of New York, until it became a profession, change after change has been made in the rules to make the game as perfect as possible in its machinery.

The game is about fifty-five years of age, that is to say, before it became national, as it was played in New York and New England up to 1861, but did not reach the limits of our country until 1865 or 1866.

The most important changes in the rules after the structure of the game was put up was first eliminating a put out on the first bound by an outfielder. Foul bound was in vogue up to 1885, but the most intricate and perplexing rule of all for years was the regulation of the pitching department. The pitcher at first was compelled to deliver the ball to the batsman with the arm swinging perpendicular.

Very little speed was imparted to the ball so delivered, and in such a manner, but the great pitchers of that time, namely, Crighton, Dick McBride, Al Spalding, Tom Pratt, George Ziehl and Walters, disguised those required movements so nicely that they got a great deal of speed to the ball, and that by a simple snap of the wrist. Those mentioned were the premier pitchers of those days. They were men also of the highest order of intelligence, which added a great deal to their pitching ability.

The pitching rule was modified about the years of 1870 or 1871 by allowing the pitcher to deliver the ball below the shoulder, which was termed "a side arm swing." This amendment to the pitching rule caused no little trouble—for pitchers, when they got a chance, would deliberately throw the ball overhand to the batter. The penalty was a balk—then commenced the debate on the distinction of the height of the arm, and let the poor umpire.

One pitcher would say he delivered the ball below the shoulder, but his arm raised on him as he delivered the ball. After a few years of annoyance on this very point, the rule makers wisely wiped the distinction entirely out, by allowing the box man to deliver the ball as he pleased, while within the prescribed lines of his position.

This was the beginning of the overhand throw—which finally evolved the celebrated curve.

There has been quite a discussion among the pioneers of professional ball as to who was the originator of the mystifying curve.

Two men have been given credit for its introduction, and they are Arthur Cummings, of the old Stars, of Brooklyn, and Bob Mathews, who pitched in those days for the Mutuals, of New York and Baltimore. But from the most authentic and reliable source the credit is given to Arthur Cummings, of New York. The great Mathews, who had been the pitching marvel of the country for many years, developed and improved the curve more than Cummings.

This innovation to the pitching department started the country, and the scientific men of that time would not believe that a rotary motion, imparted to a ball as it left the hand, would cause it to curve or change its course while in the air.

An ocular proof of the actual existence of the curve was given in Cincinnati before leading professors of colleges by one of the crack pitchers of that day, showing the wise men of the scientific world two distinct kinds of curves. That settled it. Theory had to give way to the practical, and the curve ball was the talk of the day at that time.

This new delivery of the ball came into use about 1871 or 1872, but it was made conspicuous in 1874 by the peerless Mathews. The batting department had a hard time to keep pace with this new art in pitching, and men who were considered good batters before the manipulation of the curve had to retire altogether from the ball business on account of their inability to hit the new delivery. The pitching department has ever presented a complex problem to the rule makers, and today the pitching staff costs more to a major league club than entire ball teams did in years past.

But the most remarkable ball which ever left the pitcher's hand is the spit ball, which has been developed by Jack Chesbro, and it has been fanned at ineffectually by the world's greatest batters.

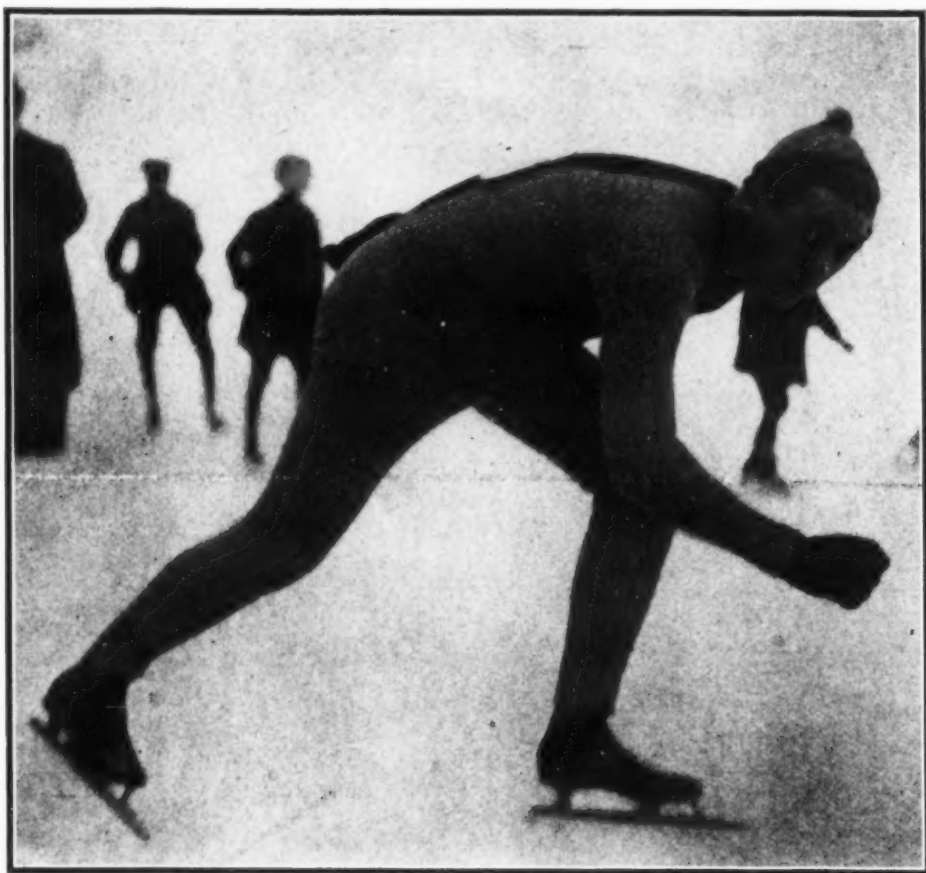
It was discovered by Jimmy Stricklett while in New Orleans the early part of last Spring. Stricklett was at that time with Detroit, but failed to "make good," and was left in New Orleans. New Orleans let him go, but it is understood he will play with some team in the American Association the coming season.

While New York and Detroit were playing a practice game Stricklett used the ball, but could not control it well. Chesbro saw it, and after observing how it was pitched, began to develop it. He soon became master of the curve, and used it with great effect throughout the season. He can make it curve in or out with almost perfect accuracy.

The spit ball derives its name from the fact that the

tips of the first and second fingers are so moistened with saliva that they slip from the ball without friction. Ordinarily, these two fingers give the ball a spin that causes it to curve. In throwing the spit ball these fingers give no motion at all to the ball, but it leaves the thumb last, which gives it a peculiar wobbly motion, the ball suddenly sheering to one side or the other of the plate, greatly confusing the batter, who cannot follow it with his eye.

The ordinary pitched ball leaves the tips of the first and second fingers last, giving it the rotary motion which produces the ordinary curves. The in-curve, out-curve and up-shoot are thrown in that manner. A ball leaving the left side of the fore finger will curve outward, and one leaving the right side of the second finger will curve inward. One leaving the tips will



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take an upward shoot as it gets to the bat; provided it is started spinning in a perpendicular manner.

The spit ball is a direct violation of all these rules, and gets its entire motion from the thumb. The fingers are slipped gently from the ball, and it leaves the thumb last. It gets its speed from the swing of the arm, and the wrist is not brought into action other than to guide the direction of the throw.

The batter has no opportunity to be forewarned of the coming spit ball, as it is held just the same as others before it leaves the pitcher's hand. This is one of its strongest points.

The game in which Chesbro first used the ball to great advantage was against Cleveland early last season. Cleveland has some of the greatest hitters in the league, but they were mere playthings in the hands of Chesbro. They had never seen the spit ball before and could not fathom it. Lajoie was struck out three times, and the whole team was badly "rattled." They made a sum total of four hits, none of which caused any damage, as there were no runners on bases.

In John J. McGraw's great book on baseball for 1905, which is No. 10 of Fox's Athletic Library, a special chapter, with photographic illustrations, is devoted to the spit ball.

#### TRIMBLE WENT OUT IN NINTH.

The fifteen-round boxing contest at the Eldridge Bicycle Club gymnasium, Tonawanda, N. Y., March 6, was the most exciting sporting event of the season. Walter Arenz, of the Eldridge Bicycle Club, and Jack Trimble, of the City A. C., were the contestants. The men weighed in at 138 pounds. In the first round Arenz took the aggressive with honors, the following four

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rounds belonging to Trimble, both men receiving severe punishment from the start. The sixth round opened with both men groggy. Arenz struck hard rights and lefts, landing at will. Trimble went down with a left swing to the jaw and only got on his feet in time to prevent being counted out.

First blood was drawn on Arenz in the seventh round by a hard left on nose. The eighth consisted of good sparring. No hard blows were struck in the ninth, which proved to be the last. Arenz took the aggressive, forcing his man to the ropes several times but it was no man's fight until Arenz landed full on Trimble's jaw with a right straight from the shoulder, putting his opponent down and out.

#### WITTMER EASY FOR GOTCH.

Frank Gotch won his match at Cincinnati, O., recently, with Charles Wittmer, the veteran Graeco-Roman wrestler, as he pleased in two straight falls. Gotch won the toss, and at catch-as-catch-can threw Wittmer in eleven minutes without serious effort.

The next bout was at Graeco-Roman, the Cincinnati man's specialty, and was won by Gotch in seventeen minutes also with little apparent effort.

#### SULLIVAN WALLOPS O'NEILL.

Kid Sullivan had all the best of Jack O'Neill in the windup of the opening show of the Southwark A. C., Philadelphia, on March 3. The Washington kid put it all over O'Neill in most of the rounds, and at times staggered him by the strength of his punches. Jack appeared to lack his usual dash and strength, as the blows which he landed on Sullivan did not seem to embarrass the latter a little bit.

Sullivan forced all the milling after the third round, and at times he had O'Neill in distress. Jack came back desperately, but most of his punches were either blocked or landed on the harder part of Sullivan without even causing the Washington mauler to wince.

#### BLINK OUTPOINTED ASHLEY.

Blink McCloskey and Guy Ashley fought ten lively rounds at the Apollo A. C., Salem, Mass., on March 7, McCloskey getting the decision on points.

Ashley was overanxious, and although he seemed to

force the fighting, his rushes were full of blunders and he received severe punishment for his trouble. McCloskey took things easy until Ashley had tired himself, and then he had little trouble in making his work effective.

Johnny Powers and Johnny Sheehan fought a fast six-round draw.

George Murray and the Buffalo Sunflower were scheduled for ten rounds. The colored man knocked Murray down four times in the sixth round, and the latter's seconds saved a knockout in the eighth by throwing up the sponge.

#### MURPHY PUT OUT ONE MAN.

Kid Murphy, of New York, the 105-pound champion, was unable to carry out his contract to knock out Jimmy Farren and Kid Egan, in ten rounds each at Baltimore, on March 7, but he put up a good article of fight just the same.

Farren after an heroic effort went into the land of dreams in the second round. He was a badly beaten man. A left to the jaw, followed by a terrific right to the eye, which opened that optic, put Farren down and out.

Kid Egan then went in and surprised the knowing ones. Egan fought hard and had Murphy on Uneasy street. Egan did not assume the offensive, but fought Murphy good and hard from start to finish, and at the end of the tenth round Referee McMurray decided the bout a draw.

#### MANKOWSKI A WINNER.

Jack Leonard, referee, of St. Louis, Mo., sent the following communication to the POLICE GAZETTE for publication:

"A boxing contest was held on Monday night, March 6, between Charles Murrel and Albert Mankowski at 145 pounds at the South Broadway A. C. The contest went six rounds, when Mankowski knocked out Murrel with a straight right on the jaw."

## DOINGS OF THE PUGILISTS

Tommy Murphy may go to England to fight Owen Moran.

The Douglass A. C., of Chelsea, Mass., wants to match Chester Goodwin and Chick Tucker.

James Yost, of California, has been appointed boxing instructor at Cornell University.

Bob Fitzsimmons is willing to meet Frank Gotch in the roped arena, but the mat artist has declined.

The proposed battle between Mike Ward and Jack O'Keefe, at Grand Rapids, Mich., has been declared off.

Young Kelly has decided to retire from the ring after the licking Johnny Ahearn gave him at Arlington recently.

Abe Attell wants another crack at Kid Goodman, and says the next time they meet he will put Goodman to sleep.

Young Corbett has not retired from the roped arena as reported, and will shortly be seen in the East with some good man.

Andy Lewis, a well-known comedian, has assumed the management of Danny Dougherty, former sparring partner of Terry McGovern.

Savannah (Ga.) men interested in sports have made an offer to the managers of Britt and Nelson to pull off their next fight in that city.

The bout between Pinkey Evans and Jem Bowker, the English champion, which was to take place in London this month, has been called off.

Cecil Kilrain, son of Jake Kilrain, who was defeated in his first battle, recently disposed of Young Connolly, of Boston, in a bout at Baltimore.

Kid McCoy, in declining to meet Hugo Kelly, of Chicago, has written Sylvie Ferretti, the latter's manager, that he has permanently retired from the ring.

Battling Nelson, one of the greatest lightweights of later years, is a total abstainer. He never drank nor smoked, and his grand condition stands by him in hard fights.

Ted Murphy, Battling Nelson's former manager, has been digging up a fighter to beat the little Dane. He has taken up Benny Yanger, and wants to match him with Nelson.

Jim Judge, the ex-Seranton, Pa., middleweight, is rounding into form for a crack at any 158-pound man. Charley O'Rourke, of Cambridge, Mass., Sam Langford, of Boston, or Andy Walsh, of Brooklyn, would suit.

Jimmy Kelly, the lightweight, of New York City, and Jimmy Gardiner, the Lowell, Mass., lightweight, have been matched to meet for fifteen rounds at 138 pounds, the latter part of this month before a club in Marlboro, Mass.

Eddie Cain, the Brooklyn lightweight, is doing light training in Brooklyn in the hope of breaking into the game again. Peter Sullivan, of Fall River, Jimmy Gardiner, of Lowell, or any other man of 138 pounds will suit Cain for a starter.

Johnny Dohan, the Brooklyn featherweight, is out after a match with Hughey McGovern, for six rounds at 128 pounds. Dohan's manager says that the Broadway or National A. C., of Philadelphia, will give a date for the pair if McGovern will agree.

#### LUTTBEG WON EASILY.

Max Luttbeg, the German wrestler, somewhat shattered the ambition of Ted Tonneman, at Newark, Ohio, recently, when he threw the Ohio man twice in short order at the Music Hall.

#### WILSON AND BLACKBURN DRAW.

Fred Blackburn, of Philadelphia, and Kid Wilson, of Orange, N. J., both colored, fought six hard rounds to a draw before the Wilmington (Del.) A. C., March 8. In the second round and twice in the third Wilson floored his man with stiff punches in the stomach, but he could not put him out.

Blackburn was game, and fought well in the last three rounds, landing effective rights on Wilson's face. Jack Cotman, of New York, made a punching bag of Bob Kilrain, of McKeesport, Pa., in four rounds. In the first preliminaries Sunny Jim, of Wilmington, knocked out Young Corbett, also of Wilmington, in thirty seconds.

#### STROUP AND GRADY DRAW.

Solly Stroup, of Pittsburg, had another chance to display his skill against Jack Grady, of Ashland, at Altoona, Pa., in a six round bout before the Bellevue A. C., on March 3. The mill was an exciting one, each round being punctuated with some heavy blows. For two rounds Stroup was unable to get any advantage. But in the third he had his man groggy. After this round it was nip and tuck and at the end it was the opinion of most of the spectators that the result was a draw.

#### A RECORD NOT ACCEPTED.

It was definitely announced at Boston, on March 6, by one of the Executive Committee of the New England Amateur Athletic Union that the record of 49 feet 1½ inches established by W. W. Coe in the shot-put at the Lawrence Light Guard A. A. meeting at Medford two weeks previous, would not be accepted as a world's record by the National Committee of the Amateur Athletic Union.

The refusal of the committee to sanction the record was due to the fact that the shot used by Coe was not a solid leaden ball as called for by the rules of the Union, and that the take-off in the shot-put was not of the regulation kind.

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"Teach an American the science of Jiu-jitsu and he will be invincible."

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I, who am a Japanese, and know Jiu-jitsu perfectly, believe that an American expert, by reason of his dash and temperament, could do more with it than a Jap, and the American who makes a study of it is sure to solve all the problems of an art which has been a secret for centuries.

Jiu-jitsu is an art not to be learned in a day, and while I shall endeavor to describe the tricks shown from week to week on this page, so that even a child will be able to understand them, yet, I do not think the average young man can perform them successfully as soon as he looks at the pictures for several reasons, which shall be explained later.

To a certain extent, Jiu-jitsu is in Japan what boxing is in America and England, for while a favored few are experts—just as certain boxers are champions—many Japanese are familiar with a few of the holds

He must be trained, mentally and physically; he must harden the outer edges of his hands so he can strike a blow without injury to himself; he must develop the muscles of his neck and have them under such perfect control that he can resist and throw off the strangle hold. He must train his muscles—not for strength, but for extreme speed, and he must be quick to think and act.

His lungs must be well developed, so his wind will not be impaired during the most severe struggles, and his heart must be normal.

I have frequently been met with the assertion:

"I understand that when you get a certain hold upon an opponent, he is bound to go down or have his arm broken. But what is he going to do while you are trying to get your hold?"

And there is just where our science comes in.

We are taught to get those holds by the use of quick thought and superior agility.

We are taught to submit to the hold of an opponent in order to make him the victim of a counter.

When I meet a man, I want him to be as aggressive as possible, because I know then that my opportunities for success will be increased.

To those who have become interested in Jiu-jitsu I would say:

Don't try to become an expert until you have learned some of the rudiments of the game, and above all, never lose your temper.

Keep cool, always, and think and act rapidly.

It is always better for two to work together, because they can help each other—as in boxing or catch-as-catch-can wrestling.

Study out carefully the holds and counters, and bear in mind that Jiu-jitsu is not a toy to play with for an hour and then cast away.

It is a simple matter to break a bone or dislocate a joint, which the student will realize before he has gone very far, so extreme caution should be observed in friendly contests.

You don't want big muscles; you don't want unusual strength.

The average man cannot lift or handle a rock which weighs a ton, yet, give him a small crowbar and a lever, and he will have no difficulty in moving it, and when he gets it off its balance it crashes over. There is where his brains come in.

One of the principal studies of the Jiu-jitsu expert is equilibrium. An opponent's balance is overcome and then he is an easy victim.

For training, the student can do anything he likes so long as it encourages speed, and here is a suggestion which it is always wise to act upon.

If your heart troubles you while exercising, lie on the floor flat upon your back with legs and arms outstretched and breathe naturally until the trouble has passed away.

The diet of the Japanese is always a light one, and as a result severe preparatory training is entirely unnecessary.

A big appetite is not natural, because great quantities

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of food are not necessary for the maintenance of life, and they certainly do not improve the health or strength.

The four standard rules of the Japanese athletes are:

Light diet.

Fresh air.

Plenty of pure, cool water (not iced).

The cultivation of agility.

I could write many pages here and tell no more, and I can also sum up Jiu-jitsu in one paragraph by saying that it is all that it is claimed to be.

*K. Saito*

### A POLICE GAZETTE CLUB.

Joseph G. Schisler, of Highlandtown, Md., and twenty other young men want to start a POLICE GAZETTE physical culture club, and ask for information. They can meet and appoint a chairman to preside. A part of his duty will be to receive nominations for the offices of president, treasurer, etc., and after the election has taken place, the president can appoint a committee to draft up the constitution and by-laws.

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C. Mittag, Montreal, Canada.—A better and larger book on Jiu-jitsu will shortly be published by Richard K. Fox. Look out for it.

### BARR A CINCH FOR GOTCH.

Frank Gotch, the world's champion wrestler, in a handicap of an hour, threw Eddie Barr, at Springfield, Ohio, on March 6, three times in twenty-eight minutes and thirty seconds. Barr went down in the first bout in eight minutes on a half-Nelson.

The second and third bouts were won with a scissors and hammerlock. The second fall was made by Gotch in twelve minutes and thirty seconds, and the third in eight minutes. Barr showed up well in the second.

### FELTZ GETS A LACING.

Jimmy Walsh, of Boston, added another victory to his long string when he was awarded the decision over Tommy Feltz, of Brooklyn, on a foul in the eleventh round of their fifteen-round bout, at Boston, Mass., on March 7.

The Brooklyn lad was completely outclassed from start to finish, and Walsh was in a fair way to deliver the knockout blow when Feltz hit him below the belt and was sent to his corner. The referee had repeatedly warned Feltz to be careful, but he failed to take his advice and consequently lost.

In the opening round Feltz got in a hard smash on the Bostonian's ribs, but after that he was a doomed fighter. Walsh simply played with him and several times had him all but down and out. In the third round the Brooklyn boy was driven through the ropes. He got back in time only to be floored twice in succession. He then displayed some good generalship and held on until the bell.

Walsh would easily have got the decision, as he had a big lead when the foul blow was struck by Feltz.

The fighting records of Walsh and Feltz will be found in the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" for 1905. Price 10 cents; postage 2 cents extra.

### BOUTS IN THE QUAKER CITY.

Rufe Turner and Kid Williams furnished the windup at the Washington Sporting Club, Philadelphia, on March 7. Willie Fitzgerald and Jack Clancy were on the bill, but it was announced that Clancy had a bad hand and could not box, so Williams and Turner were put on. There was nothing exciting about the bout. Turner put it all over Williams, but did not finish him, and the last three rounds were slow.

In the semi-windup Kid Stein and Fred Martin put

up a hard bout, with honors easy at the end. In the first and second rounds Martin staggered Stein with hard rights to the face, but the Kid's superior strength enabled him to even up matters, and the bout ended in a good draw.

On the same night, Fred Blackburn had something on Bill Larry in a rattling windup at the Frankford A. C. Bill took Tom Daly's place at the last minute, as Daly failed to put in an appearance. Considering that Larry took the bout on without a minute's notice he made a creditable showing, although getting the worst of it. Blackburn forced the milling from the start and by the effective use of a clever left jab he had Larry guessing as to what was coming next. Larry depended



THE CHADWICK TRIO.

Ida May Chadwick in the foreground is the Holder of the Police Gazette Wooden-shoe Buck Dancing Medal, and her Father says he will accept Miss Lulu Beeson's Challenge.

solely on a right hand wallop which mostly hit the atmosphere with a thud instead of connecting with Blackburn's dial or pantry.

Joe Jackson knocked out Kid Fredericks in the third round in the semi-windup. Young Britt was defeated by Battling Stinger in a fast six-round go, while Young Kane stopped Young McGonigle in the second round in the preliminaries.

### KELLY AND CARTER'S HOT BOUT.

Ralph Kelly, of Boston, and Kid Carter, of Chelsea, were the star attractions before the Franklin A. C. at Dover, N. H., on March 7. The go was lively throughout the ten rounds. Both men fought with great cleverness. Referee Patsy Haley gave Kelly the decision on points. Carter forced the fighting nearly all the way through and frequently rushed Kelly to the ropes, but the latter showed wonderful alertness in ducking Carter's blows, and during clinches drubbed Carter fiercely. Billy Davis, of Boston, and Toney Lewis, of New York, went three tame rounds and were called off.

### FIGHT WAS A FARCE.

In a fight that terminated in a veritable farce, Jack O'Keefe, of Chicago, was given the decision over Rough House Charley Burns, of Cincinnati, at the Riverside A. C., Peoria, Ill., on March 6. O'Keefe was to have gone on with Dick Green, but as Green was unable to appear Burns was substituted.

### Our Halftone Photos.

Victor A. Trepagnier is a famous bridge tender at West End, a Summer resort near New Orleans, La.

James H. Monroe, who is the owner of the Eagle Cafe, at 46 Lafayette street, Utica, N. Y., is one of the best known sporting men in that city. He is a member in high standing of Local No. 97, F. O. E.

Dave Barry, who became prominent in theatrical circles as a member of the team of Barry and Hague, and Barry and Hennessy, is now the manager of the Dewey Theatre, Utica, N. Y., which he has made a great success. He plays good acts and never fails to put on a fine bill.

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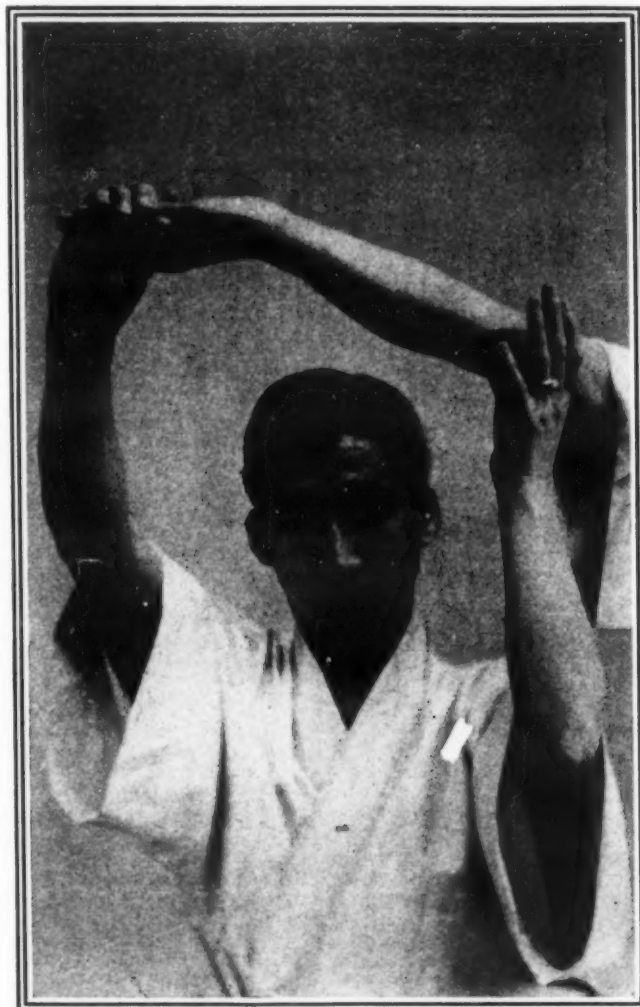


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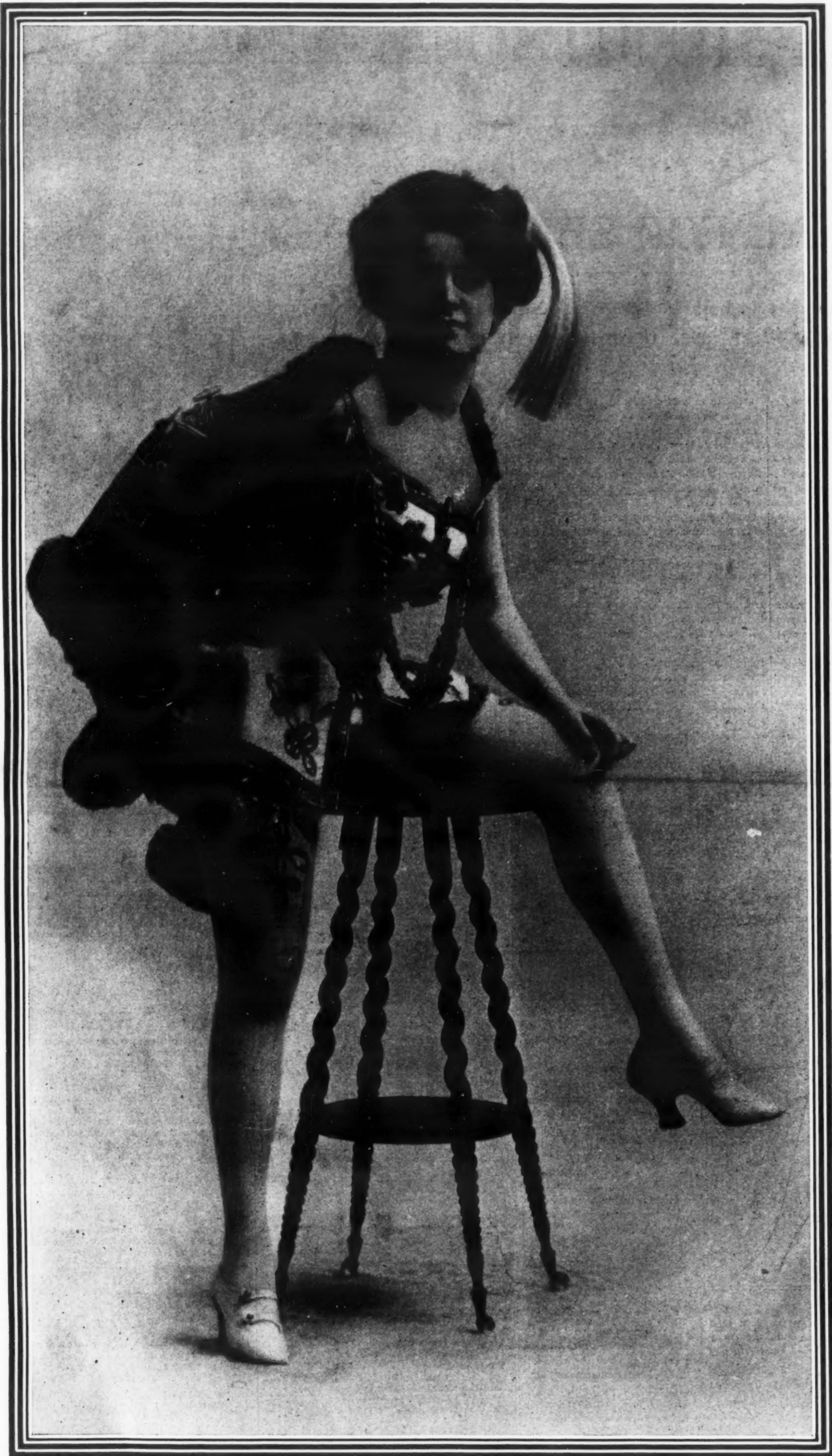


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Senator Frawley's Amateur Boxing Bill Endorsed by the New York State Senate.

CLEAN SPORT WILL PAVE WAY FOR PROFESSIONALS.

California Legislature Refuses to Stop the Boxing Game—Jiu-Jitsu Versus Wrestling—Small Talk in Pugilistic World.

James Edward Britt may be side-tracked to give Joe Gans the next chance to check the ambitious rise of one Battling Nelson, and this is the match which Alex Greggains, the California promoter, is trying now to frame up for the April date in San Francisco. The latter has no friendly feeling for J. Edward, and may be trying to belittle him when he says that Gans and Nelson would make the best match. Greggains, who is above all things a good judge of a fighter's talents, says of Nelson: "He can whip Britt. No question about it to my mind. I think Gans is the only lightweight who has a chance to beat him, and I would like to see them fight."

Al Herford, he of the prolific typewriter, is determined to do all he can to get his coffee colored puncher into the ring with the pugnacious Dane, but he will have to agree to concessions which may militate against the chances of his man. As Bill Naughton, who is in close touch with the situation in Frisco, says:

"To begin with, Nelson has said that if it is made to appear to him that Gans is the man he ought to hook up with, he will insist that Gans box at 133 pounds ring-side weight. Unless the dapper Baltimore manager can utilize his persuasive power in such a way as to have Nelson change these terms, there will be small chance of arousing interest in a Nelson-Gans match. The sports of San Francisco have seen how Gans strips and boxes at 133 pounds, and are thoroughly convinced that the notch is too low for him."

"Nelson is frank enough to say that he would prefer Britt to Gans, as he considers the native son a less dangerous customer than the colored pugilist. Britt has already placed himself on record to the effect that he will never fight Gans again, so that it can readily be seen that Herford is confronted with a bleak prospect."

"There is just this much in his favor, however. The inner circle of fight followers regard a Nelson-Gans match more favorably than they do a return date between Britt and Nelson. The connoisseurs referred to feel that, under conditions which will ensure each man being at his best, a scrap between the Dane and the colored lad would prove one of the most exciting struggles seen in a San Francisco ring in years."

But the presence of one Jabez White, the champion lightweight of England, may change the complexion of things all around. White is over here in the train of Charley Mitchell, looking of course, for trouble of the kind that pays; but it is doubtful if he is looked upon by any one of the big three (Gans, Nelson and Britt) with any degree of fear. The best thing we know to the credit of White is that he has twice gained decisions over Spike Sullivan in 20-round bouts.

He has never been defeated, says his manager; but has he ever fought anybody? We must perforce throw out Spike, for we have any number third-raters here who could have put Spike out at the time he fought White, and it was nothing for White to brag about that he got the decision. I've seen Spike put up a few fights in the old days that would have won that White battle hands down. When the steamship bearing the Britons warps into her dock, there will rush up the gang plank three messengers, all on the hot foot for Charley Mitchell.

One will bear a challenge from Joe Gans for Jabez. Al Herford's club down in Baltimore has not had a Gans victory for several weeks now, and they are just ripe for Jabez. Gans thinks of him as he would of a plate of oysters.

Another messenger will have a note from James Edward Britt, California's favorite native son. Couched in the best monologue "language" of the only Jimmy, it will politely request that the estimable Mr. White graciously deign to allow "ma" to have the first chance. There may even be a hint in Britt's missive to the effect that the first chance will be the only one in the bag.

Then matter-of-fact old Battling Nelson's note will be handed to Mitchell, and its contents will probably be: "Look up me records. Am I it?"

Taking it all in all, Jabez can be very dull or very busy during his more or less protracted sojourn in America.

As I have all along predicted, Senator Jim Frawley's amateur boxing bill went through New York's legislative ring like a dose of salts. No hesitancy whatever; thirty-three of the Empire State's eminent lawmakers saw enough of good in the measure to vote favorably, while only eleven opposed it. Among the latter was Merton E. Lewis, the Rochester statesman, whose efforts knocked the Horton law into a cocked hat, and deprived New Yorkers of any chance to enjoy a boxing match. Lewis evinced just as much strenuousness in opposing Frawley's bill, but arrayed on the battle line with the young Harlem statesman was Senator Tom Grady, he of the "Silver Tongue," and Senator Coggeshall.

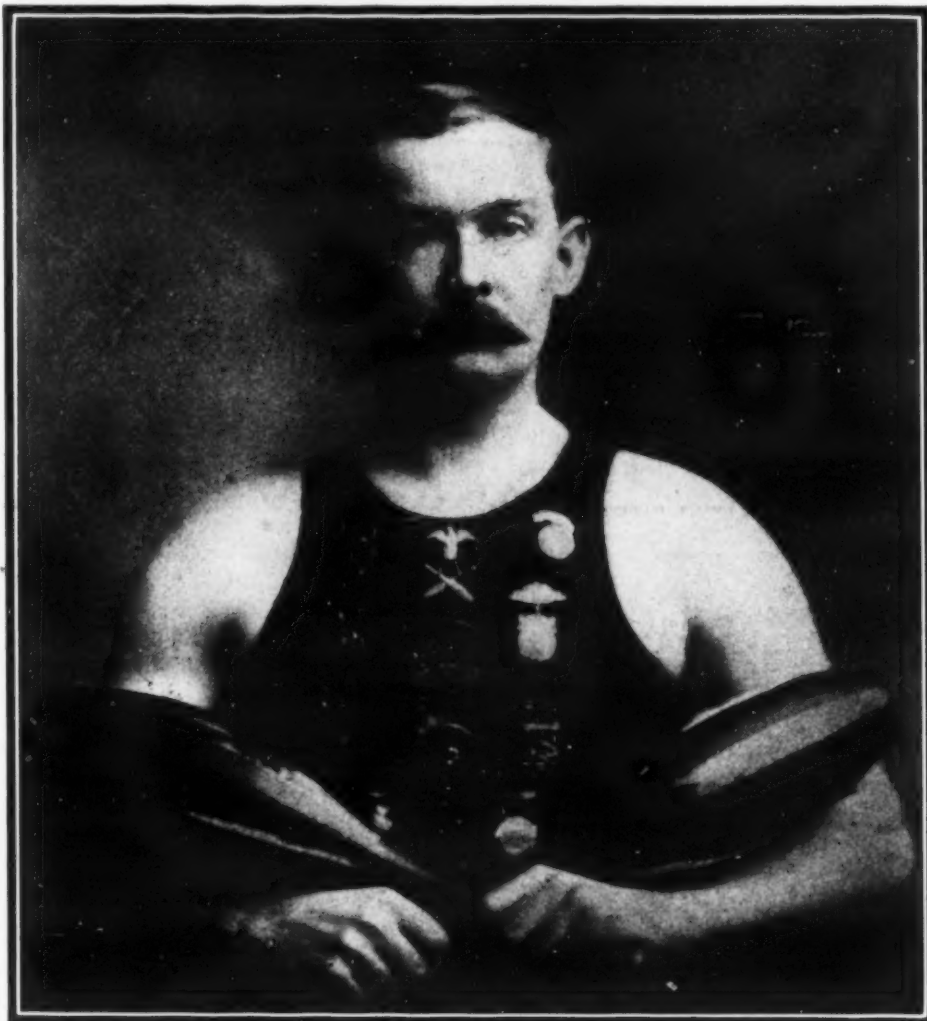
Those who voted against the measure took the ground that boxing is a brutal sport and that the Frawley bill opens the door to professional pugilism, which is now prohibited.

"It seems to me," Senator Coggeshall said, "the law of to-day sanctions more brutal sport than boxing. I stood at the side lines at a football game last year and saw eleven men pounce upon my son, and while he lay on the ground they urged each other on with such remarks as 'kill the rascal.'"

If the Frawley bill becomes a law members of or-

ganizations in the American Athletic Association may engage in fifteen minute bouts with eight ounce gloves for gold or silver medals or other prizes other than purses of money. In general orders the measure was amended so that it would apply to clubs in the association at the present time and that no two men could engage in more than one contest in twenty-four hours.

Discriminating is too inadequate a word to use in behalf of the praiseworthy efforts made by the California legislators to "down" the Ralston anti-boxing bill when it came before the Senate at Sacramento for final disposition. There the bill was beaten by the decisive vote of 18 to 10. This was really a larger vote than the friends of the poor pug counted on before



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the roll call was taken. Senators Shortridge and Wolfe proved eloquent defenders of the ring, and fought the bill to the finish. Senator Ralston made a plea for his pet measure on the ground that many of the fights were fakes and the dear public was therefore being swindled. Undoubtedly there have been fixed fights fought, but the percentage has been small since open betting in the poolrooms has been prohibited. Senator Ralston will allow that some of his associates have taken bribes, but he would not advocate that the Senate be abolished because all men elected to office were not honest. The vote settles the Ralston bill as far as this Legislature, which does not meet again for two years, is concerned. The vote is too decisive for the friends of the Ralston bill to hope to enact any sort of reform measure this session.

Professional catch-as-catch-can grapplers refuse to be convinced that there is any virtue in the jiu-jitsu form of wrestling. Speaking of it the other day with a well-known former champion, he said,

"The jiu-jitsu style may do to fool people who do not know how to resist, but let me tell you frankly that it is no good to any man who will stiffen his arm or legs when grasped by a Jap hold. Remain passive and let the Jap get his hold and you perhaps will get badly hurt, but the moment grabbed just set your muscles and watch the effect. You will win or come close to it."

I take notice that these Japs use their own man to

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demonstrate the art. It's a fad all right and let the men working it get the money if they can."

Philadelphia Jack O'Brien is once more engaged in a talk-fest. His latest effort was to take a fall out of the scheme to match Tom Sharkey and Frank Gotch, the big wrestler, at Philadelphia. O'Brien has made this proposition to the two men: "I will meet Sharkey and Gotch in the same ring. First, I will agree to knock out the wrestler or any other wrestler who will meet me straight Marquis of Queensberry rules. After I have met Gotch I will take on Sharkey, and while I do not care to knock him out, I will guarantee that he will feel so sore the next day that he cannot get out of bed."

Maybe.

Apropos of the controversy as to whether or not John L. Sullivan was ever champion pugilist of the world, the following from the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Times shows that the sporting editor of that eminently popular Journal has given some consideration to the subject:

SULLIVAN WAS NOT WORLD'S CHAMPION.

SIR: The "Police Gazette" states that John L. Sullivan was not champion of the world. Is that a fact? Brooklyn, March 8. F. G. K.

(It is. Sullivan never won an international championship battle. He fought Mitchell in Chantilly, France, thirty-nine rounds to a draw.)—Ed.

The editor might have gone a little further and told his reader that had Sullivan beaten Mitchell on that occasion he wouldn't even then have become the recognized champion of the world, for Mitchell was not the champion of England, Jem Smith being the then recognized holder of the title. Hope this brief explanation will satisfy some of my inquirers, too.

The "red lights" and their attendant evils have brought another successful fighter to his finish. Young Corbett's most ardent admirers now admit that he is not the fighter that he was when he defeated Terry McGovern, and also that he met a man who is his superior. Corbett has been gradually going from bad to worse from the excesses of dissipation and is now consigned to the pugilistic graveyard as far as the

## M'COY'S BIG COUP FAILED

John L.'s Sturdy Right Upset the Willy Hoosier's Scheme.

And now it is Kid McCoy, the foxy, agile, versatile and entertaining Hoosier, who is up against it. He says now that he has retired from the ring—this time for good. Apparently, there is a dearth of easy marks just at the present time—else why this new retreat from the ring? The Kid can't afford it. He hasn't recently acquired any such slice as fell to him after the fight with James Corbett. No one has sent up a mournful howl of late, to the effect that the Kid had been unduly prospering as a gambler.

Only a few days ago the Kid was matched with Texas McCormick—the yep who was stowed away by John L. Sullivan. John picked that pippin before it was ripe for McCoy, and foxy Charles has given it out that he feels pained and hurt by the ingratitude of man. Here he was actually bringing a step-ladder to pick the pippin with, and old John knocked it down with a stick. Why, McCoy had actually given this McCormick fellow money, and—

But up where the wise ones congregate they whisper a different tale, with many chucklings at the expense of the wily Kid.

McCoy, so it is said, arranged this match with the Texas gent. It looked all to the good and hunky dory. It was just money in the bank. The Kid could take a pin and punch holes in the ace of diamonds—that was all the training he'd need. No road work, nothing at all that might be irksome to a gentleman of leisure.

But McCormick needed a reputation—aye, there was the rub. People might pay to see McCoy butcher him in his usual artistic style, but if the butchery had some sort of interest attached to his name, why, there'd be more doing at the box office.

All thoughts come to him who thinks. The Kid sat down and pondered ponderously. Finally a scheme flashed across the blank skyline of his intellect. It was the goods. It would do. Hastily it was conveyed to Texas, who was waiting reverently in an anteroom while the McCoy brain struggled with the problem. McCormick hastily packed his other pair of socks, drew down another chunk of the expense account and disappeared.

The scheme? Nothing easier! Old John L. Sullivan, white-haired, 300 pounds, recovering from paralysis of the optic nerve, but still carrying the old magic name, was about to do a little boxing up in Michigan, where all good fighters go when they die—pugilistically.

John L. would box with anybody—of course. This Texas was about as big as John L. in his prime. Why shouldn't he put on the gloves with the old champion, whip one across, come back to Hot Springs? The country would talk. People would want to see the man who knocked out John L., young or old. The box office would take in money so fast it would have to be shovelled onto the floor. The man who knocked out John L. would be quickly knocked out by Charles (Kid) McCoy—back in the limelight—glory—\$100,000—wow!

"John L. Sullivan" (the ticker tape came out in spasmodic little jerks) "knocked Texas Jim McCormick out in the second round. McCormick was out for ten minutes."

"Oh, fudge!" remarked Kid McCoy.

### GRIM TURNS THE TABLES.

After being defeated by Billy Burke recently, Joe Grim started in to train, and at his fight in Philadelphia on March 9, he was in much better shape physically than he has been for some time. In consequence, the big crowd which packed every available inch of the Broadway A. C. saw a fast and interesting contest, in which the Italian boxer gave Burke a surprise party, and at the end had a shade the best of it.

Burke started out coolly, and in the first round he used his long reach to good advantage. After that Grim kept close to his man, and in this way he offset the advantage of Burke's length of arm. The boxing was hard, and it was anybody's contest to the end of the fifth round. In the sixth Grim cut loose and soon had Burke's nose bleeding, and the long-legged fellow was pretty tired, and several times during the end of the round he was compelled to hold on to save himself from punishment.

In the semi-windup Joe Hagan stopped Tom Lanihan in two rounds.

Billy Williams had a shade the best of Johnny Murphy. Vernon Campbell beat Billy Dinkie; Buck Lincoln stopped Gus Feltman in three rounds, and Eddie Lenny, of Chicago, defeated Hughey Gallagher in six rounds.

### BONNIE O'BRIEN KNOCKED OUT.

Adam Ryan knocked out Bonnie O'Brien with a right-hand swing to the jaw in the third round at the Whittington Park A. C., Hot Springs, Ark., March 8.

The men were scheduled to box twenty rounds and the knockout, coming as it did so early in the fight, proved surprising to the spectators.

Little fighting had been indulged in the two preceding rounds, both men showing cleverness in blocking. In the third round, while engaged in a clinch, they began sending in stiff body punches with their free hand. O'Brien evidently weakening under the onslaught attempted to break away, and in doing so received a left hook to the jaw which staggered him. Ryan followed up his advantage quickly, and sent a right swing to the point of the jaw, flooring O'Brien. The referee's count was unnecessary, as after being picked up by his seconds and carried to his corner, O'Brien did not come to for nearly five minutes.

Kid Wedge knocked out the Terrible Turk in the second round in their six-round preliminary affair, and Jack Johnson put away Arthur Cole in four rounds.

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C. E. W., Cleveland, Ohio.—Yes. We don't care to go into details.

E. B., Havana, Cuba.—He was born in Elston, Cornwall, England.

Reader.—See "Police Gazette Sporting Annual," Send 10 cents and stamp.

E. D., Bowlby, W. Va.—Where could I learn to become a boxer?.....Practice.

G. W. S., Denver, Col.—Send 25 cents for POLICE GAZETTE book on handling dogs.

F. K., Grand Rapids, Mich.—Was John L. Sullivan champion of the world?.....No.

P. D., Hot Springs, Ark.—Did Bob Fitzsimmons ever knock down Jim Jeffries?.....No.

W. W., Willits, Cal.—POLICE GAZETTE "Scientific Wrestling," by George Bothner, is a classic.

C. K., Trenton, N. J.—Did Jeffries knock Monroe out in his last battle?.....Referee stopped it.

A. V., Portchester, N. Y.—Tell me if Bennie Yanger is an Italian or not?.....He is an Italian.

S. E., Scranton, Pa.—Who has fought the most number of battles in the prize ring?.....Dixon.

J. M., Frasersville, P. Q.—I have made a bet that Li Hung Chang, the first Minister of China, is dead?.....He is dead.

F. T. C., Worthing, S. D.—Did Frank Gotch ever enter the ring to fight?.....Yes, in the Klondyke with Frank Layin.

B. A. L., Woodland, Cal.—What is the quickest time Gus Ruhlin ever knocked out Tom Sharkey?.....Fifteen rounds.

H. M., Ft. Bayard, N. M.—Send 10 cents and stamp for POLICE GAZETTE records, containing dates of all important fights.

F. F. St. L., Muskegon, Mich.—Dempsey won first fight in six rounds; LaBlanche won the second in thirty-two rounds.

G. A. B., Washington, D. C.—Was Corbett knocked out in his battle with Fitzsimmons at Carson City, Nev.?.....No.

G. T. B., Schroon Lake, N. Y.—Where could I get Confederate \$5 bills?.....Any money exchange ought to be able to supply you.

O. T. S., Burlington, Vt.—What is the correct age of John L. Sullivan?.....Forty-six years. See "Police Gazette Sporting Annual."

Reader, Mineral, Kan.—What did Jack McAuliffe weigh when he fought Billy Meyers at New Orleans in 1892?.....About 135 pounds.

I. R., Milwaukee Wis.—Inform me what weight Jack Dempsey and Bob Fitzsimmons fought at?.....147½ and 150½, respectively.

J. W. G., Newburgh, N. Y.—Give me the weight that Nelson and Britt fought at, and Britt and Gans?.....1. 130 pounds. 2. 135 pounds.

E. & C., Eldorado, Ill.—Explain where the difference is between a square inch and an inch square?.....See answer to E. P. S., Auburn, Ill.

M. J. W., Brooklyn, N. Y.—Where was Robert Fitzsimmons born, and what is his age?.....Elston, Cornwall, England; 43 years he says.

C. P. R., Bremerton, Wash.—What was the weight Kid Lavigne and Joe Walcott fought at in their fight in San Francisco?.....138 pounds.

F. F. H., Whitestone, N. Y.—Was John L. Sullivan ever champion of the world?.....1. He never was champion of the world. 2. Two dollars.

H. B. S., San Francisco.—How old is John L. Sullivan? How old was he when he fought James J. Corbett?.....1. Forty-six years old. 2. Thirty-four years old.

H. N., Detroit, Mich.—Poker; A has a heart flush, queen the high card; B has a spade flush, ace the high card; B calls A; A claims pot; who wins?.....Ace flush wins.

F. D., Jerome, Ariz.—Could you give me the name and address of a New York firm selling old Mauser rifles, bayonets, etc., taken from the Spanish during the Spanish-American war?.....Schuyler, Hartley & Graham, New York City.

J. C. C., Jr., Phenix, R. I.—W A C offer a prize of \$50 for the best two hands, \$30 for the highest, or best hand, and \$20 for the next best hand; there are two royal straight flushes and a king high straight flush out; C bets that the two royal flushes have to

divide or split the purse of \$30, and the king high straight flush get second prize?.....The two royal hands either divide or draw for first and second money. The king high straight flush gets nothing.

F. L. R., Milwaukee, Wis.—How many rounds did Jake Kilrain and Jim Smith fight in England and what was the result?.....106 rounds, London rules; a draw.

Reader, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Who are the three most charitable men in the United States?.....Difficult to say. All rich men are philanthropists in one way or another.

J. A. L., Jersey City.—A says there is no difference between a square inch and an inch square; B says there is a difference?.....A is wrong. See answer to E. P. S., Auburn, Ill.

J. H. B., Jackson, Miss.—A makes a wager that B cannot get a shave in any barber shop in New York City for three cents; B coming from New York knows different?.....He can.

F. L. McG., Corning, N. Y.—I wish to know the wrestling weight of Eugene Tremblay of Montreal, Can.?.....1. Do not know his weight. 2. We don't answer questions by mail.

F. S., Collinsville.—What is the thickness of the armor plate on our largest war vessels?.....On the Indiana, Massachusetts and Oregon the armor belt is 17 inches thick and 7½ feet wide.

Subscriber, Marietta, O.—State different weights in prize ring, how many and what they are?.....There are six, viz: Bantam, 115; feather, 122; light, 133; welter, 145; middle, 156, and heavy.

J. H. W., Bennettville, S. C.—Was James Ned Warburton, of Haslingden, England, ever the champion foot racer of the world?.....Chappy Warburton was a champion at some distances.

W. J. W., Newark, N. J.—When Jake Kilrain and John L. Sullivan fought did they fight with gloves or bare knuckles, and how many rounds?.....Seventy-five rounds, London rules, bare knuckles.

A. J. B., Bismarck, N. D.—Was Farmer Burns, the 162-pound wrestler, of Iowa, ever considered a good man as a fighter to cope with such pugilists as Fitzsimmons, Corbett, Sharkey or Dempsey?.....No.

A. V., Hartford, Conn.—Is Joe Choynski dead? Was John L. Sullivan champion of the world? Was Paddy Ryan champion of the world?.....1. No. 2. No. 3. No, both were champions of America.

E. P. S., Auburn, Ill.—In answering C. E. H., Joliet, Mont., you say there is twelve times the difference between one square inch and one inch square. Will you explain how it is?.....Take an inch cube and measure it both ways across on its six sides.

T. B. E., Aneta, N. D.—Was Ed Atherton at any time middleweight champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler? Was he defeated by Martin Lewis, at Rockford, Ill.? Do you know this man on the card?.....1. Atherton claimed the title. 2. We have no record of the match. 3. We don't know him.

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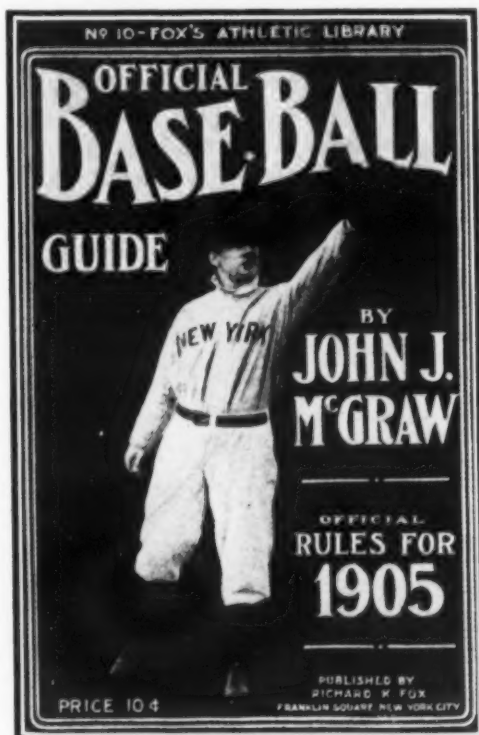
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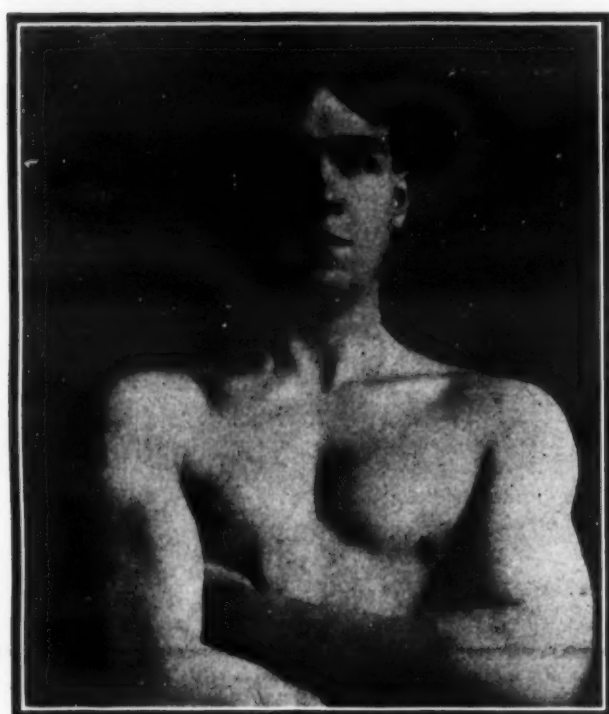
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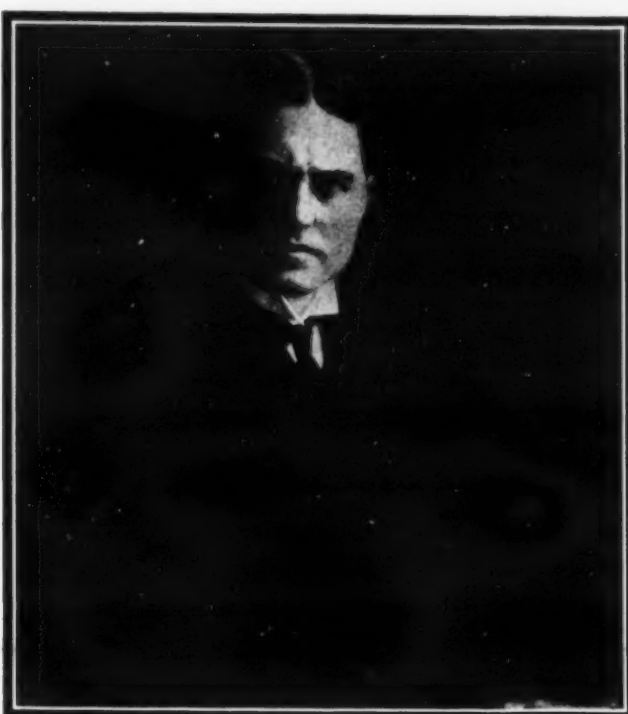
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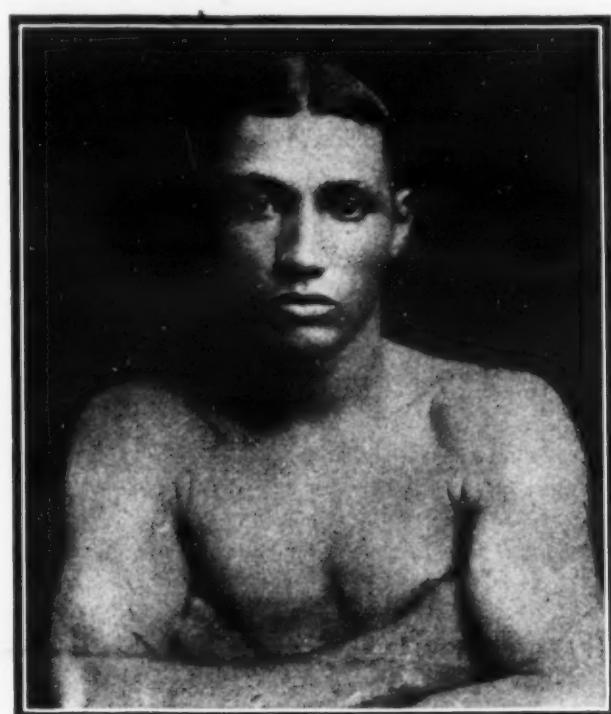
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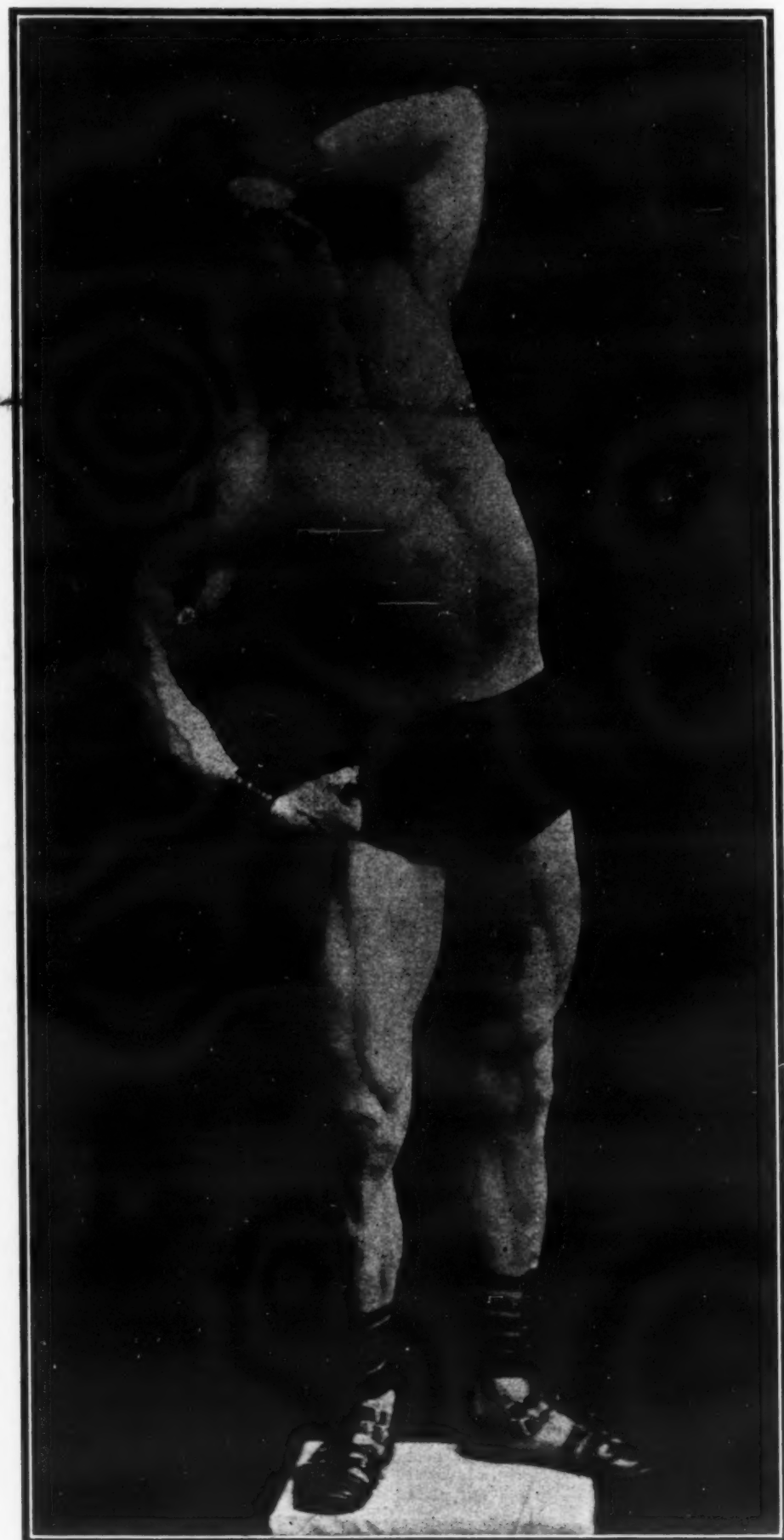
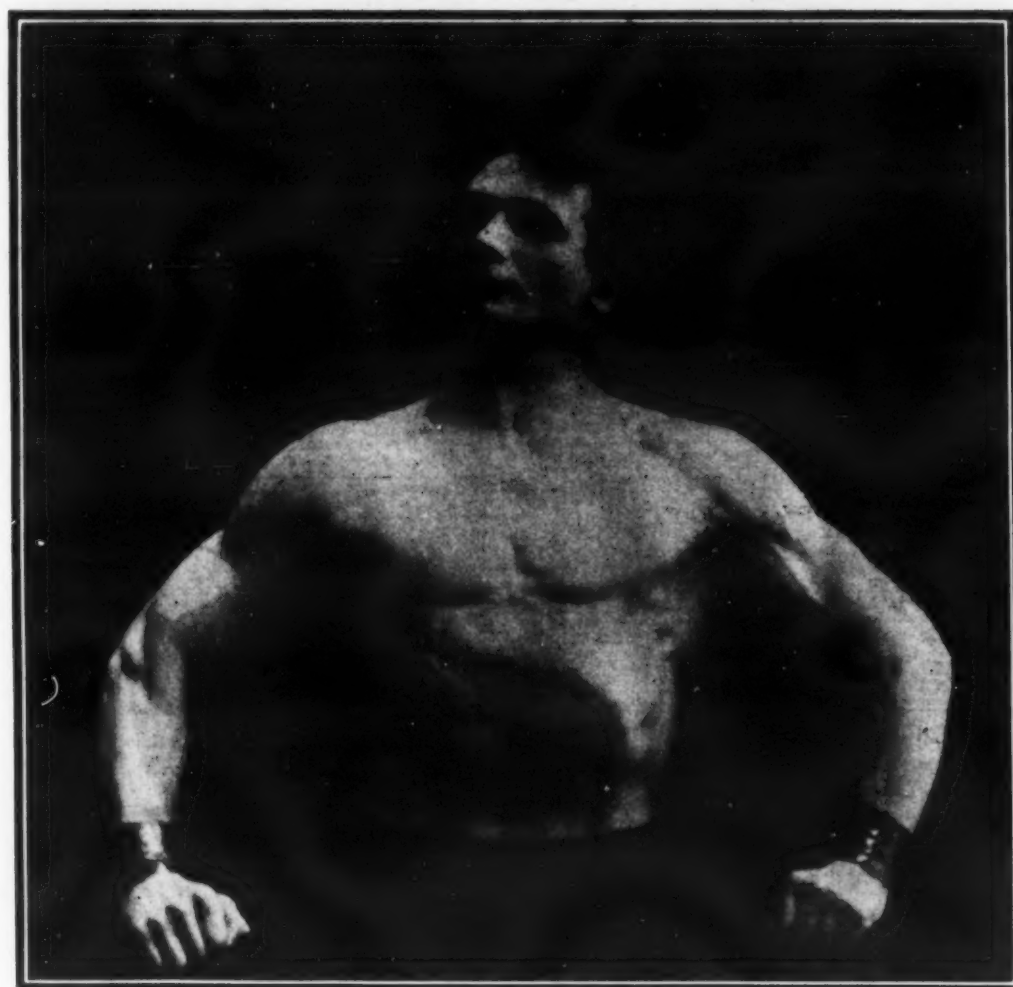
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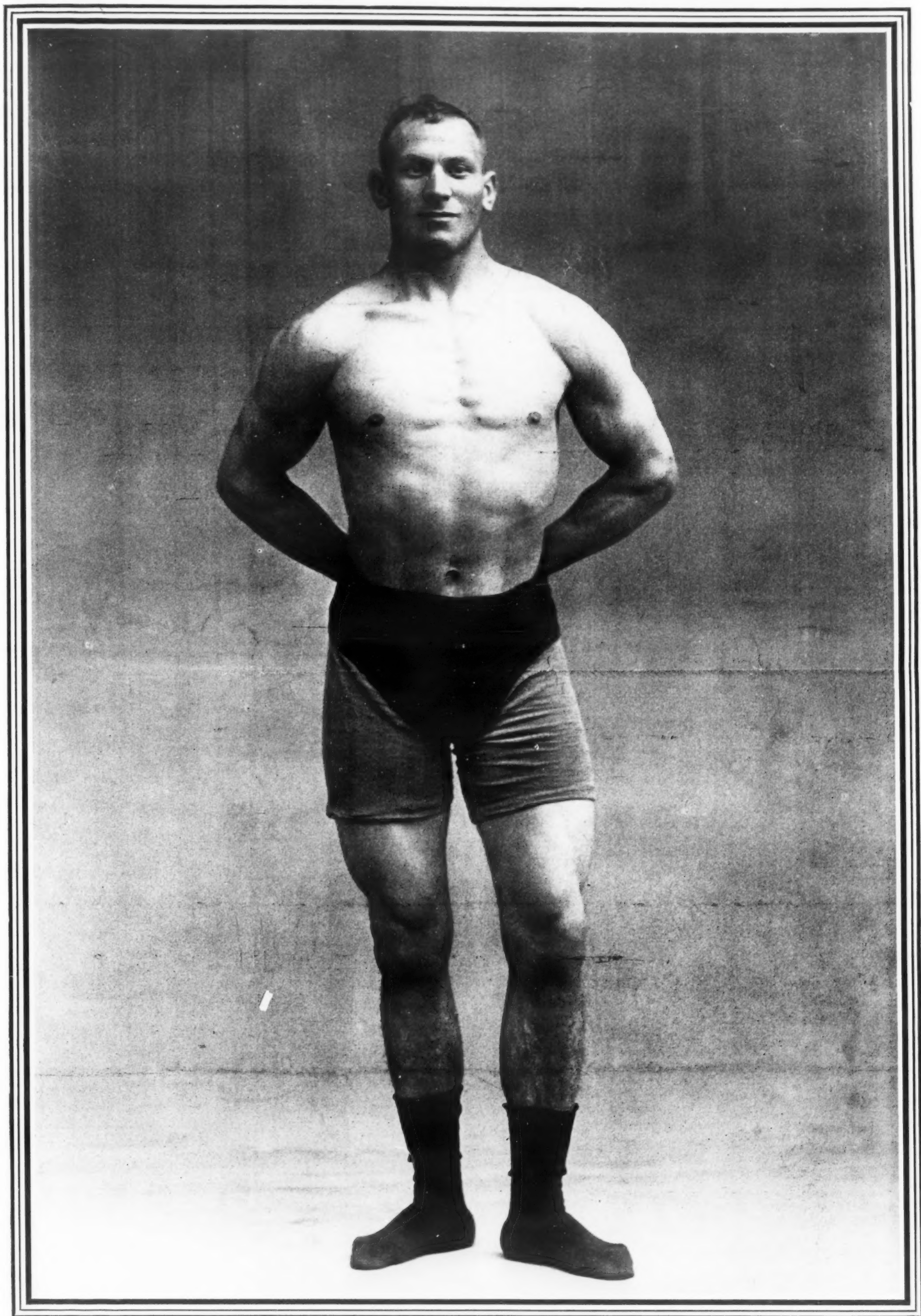


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